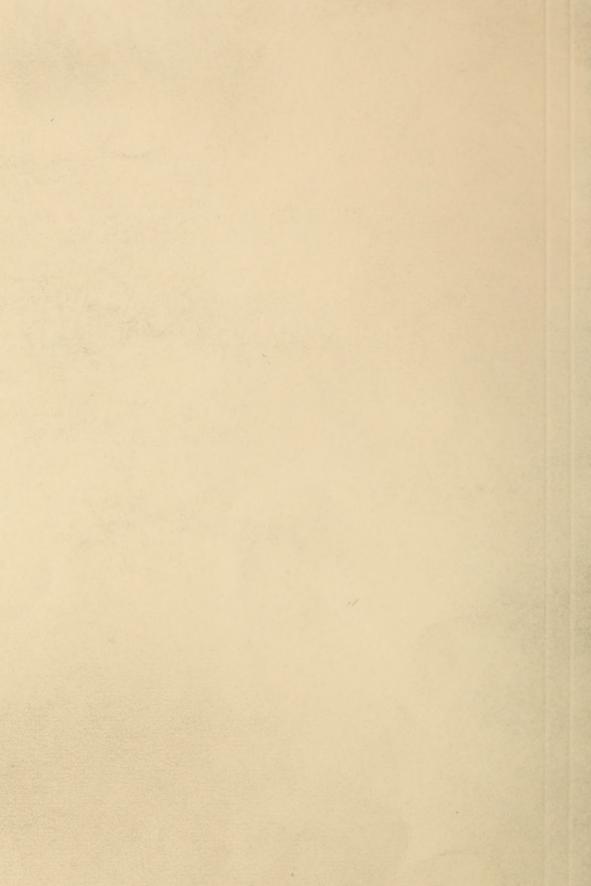
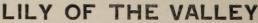
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Too well known to need any special description. Everyone knows their value for outdoor blooming, but all do not realize that their sprays of fairy bells can be obtained in winter just as easily. If you wish them for Easter, start them in February. We can supply the bulbs all winter. Price, 5 cents each, 50 cents per dozen.

(Flowering Flag-Fleur-de-Lis)

#### GERMAN IRIS

These magnificent Iris are among the most beautiful of our season. They commence blooming about the middle of June, and continue for five or six weeks. While the Iris succeed in almost any soil and condition, they delight in a rich, deep, moist position, and should be abundantly supplied with manure and water. Frice, 10 cents each, twelve for \$1.00

### IRIS HISPANICA-Spanish Iris.

This is a most charming dwarf Iris, suitable for planting in beds or for pot culture. They furnish a most brilliant mass of color, and nothing more effective can be planted in the border. Flowers like beautiful Orchids. Chrysolora—Yellow; rich in coloring and marking. Darling—Dark blue; very fine.

Blanche Superbe—White; lily-like.
Louise—Sky-blue, with pearl-gray shading.
Price, three for 5 cents, 20 cents per dozen.

Mixed Spanish Iris—Price, 15 cents per dozen, \$1.00 per 100.

#### JAPANESE IRIS

(Iris Kæmpferi Grandiflora)

These magnificent Iris are among the most beautiful of our summer-flowering plants, and are These magnificent I is are among the most beautiful of our summer-flowering plants, and are becoming more popular every season. They commence blooming about the middle of June, and continue for five or six weeks. Many of the flowers measure from ten to twelve inches in diameter, and rival the Orchids in their rich colorings. The prevailing colors are white, crimson, rose-lilac, lavender, violet and blue. Each flower usually contains several shades, while a golden-yellow blotch at the base of the petals intensifies the wealth of coloring. While the Iris succeeds in almost any soil and condition, it delights in a rich, deep, moist position. Price, double and single flowered named varieties, 25 cents each, postpaid; ten distinct sorts for \$2.00 by express.

#### ENGLISH IRIS

Large, handsome flowers, with rich purple, blue and lilac colors predominating; grows eighteen to twenty inches high; perfectly hardy; mixed varieties. Price, 4 cents each, 35 cents per dozen.

### PEACOCK IRIS

(Iris Pavonia)

This beautiful Iris is very attractive. It is a sky-blue color, with a peacock eye of dark blue on each side of the petals. It is certainly a gem. Price, two for 5 cents, 25 cents per dozen.

### FINE MIXED GLADIOLI

Our mixed Gladioli embrace a magnificent variety of beautiful colors, all the poorer sorts having been discarded when in flower. The spikes of bloom, richness and brilliancy of color are out of all proportion to the trifling cost. Price, extra fine mixed, of all colors, three for 10 cents, 30 cents per dozen, or \$2.00 per 100, postpaid; by express, \$1.75 per 100.



Lily of the Valley.

Peacock Iris

#### IXIAS

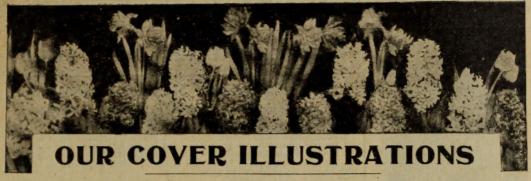
The Ixias produce their beautiful flowers in spikes, and are of the most dazzling and brilliant colors. For brilliant colors. For pot culture in the house they give great satisfaction. Plant in October (six to eight in a five-inch pot) in sandy loam one inch deep. Price, three for 5 cts., 15 cts per doz.

#### SPARAXIS

A beautiful class of bulbs, allied to the Ixias and requiring the same treatment, producing spikes of flowers of the most exquisite and brilliant colors. Mixed varieties. Cultivate as Ixias. Price, three for 5 cents, 15 cents per dozen.



Japanese Iris.



### BEAUTIFUL DOUBLE HERBACEOUS PEONIES

The wonderful improvements made during recent years in these old-fashioned hardy plants have made them immensely popular. After they are once planted, they require little attention and care, thriving almost anywhere, and are absolutely hardy everywhere, requiring no protection whatever, even in the most severe climate. They do best in good, rich soil and an open, sunny position, but this is not absolutely necessary. They like a liberal supply of water during their growing season. The abundance and wealth of the gorgeous flowers which they produce are sufficient to satisfy the most enthusiastic, their flowers rivaling the finest roses in size, form and coloring. They are not troubled with insect pests or disease of any kind, and, once planted, they take care of themselves, increasing in beauty each year. We offer herewith some of the newest and most beautiful varieties in cultivation.

#### THE OLD-FASHIONED PEONIES OF OUR GRANDMOTHER'S GARDEN

The three varieties, Officinalis Rosea, Officinalis Rubra and Officinalis Alba, which commonly make up this section in the Peony family, represent the best in free early flowering and reliable kinds. Officinalis Rosea. (Illustrated on front of cover.) Deep cerise pink; very striking. Price, 25 cents each.

Officinalis Alba. Pure white; large and full flower. Very popular for cemetery planting. Price, 25 cents each. Officinalis Rubra. Deep crimson; excellent for early cut flowers. Very effective. Price, 25 cents each. The above three Peonies in strong plants (if planted by November, will flower next spring) for 60 cents, postpaid.

#### STANDARD VARIETIES IN PEONIES

These varieties vary more than the Officinalis type in their blooming season, and are selected as a few varieties of special merit from a large list, and are offered at a price much less than the novelties, and within the reach of all.

HUMEI CARNEA—Deep pink; strong grower; large, very full, highly cinnamon-scented flowers; graceful habit. Grown largely for cut flowers.

MEISSONIER—Brilliant amaranthine-crimson, troad petals, very large and full, an extra fine red.

QUEEN VICTORIA—Large, full, compact bloom, opening flesh, changing to pure white, center petals tipped with carmine spots, a grand variety for any purpose.

ACHILLE—Floriferous, light flesh-pink, changing to blush-white, with an occasional creamy spot.

Price, 40 cents each. One each of the four varieties in strong plants, for \$1.25.

The Best Novelties in Colors—Crimson, White, Bright Pink and Light Shell=Pink all early-flowering. If you want the best, here they are

The following four varieties we offer as the best grown in the different colors and are not to be excelled by any other kinds in the Peony family. Apparently they are expensive, but the superior quality of these four named kinds over other standard varieties of this popular plant is greater than the difference in quality in any other family of flowers.

of this popular plant is greater than the difference in quality in a FESTIVA MAXIMA—This is not only the finest white in existence, but in most quarters, is regarded as the queen of all the Peonies. Mr. Harrison says: "This flower has reached the ultimate, beyond which we cannot go." It combines enormous size with wondrous beauty, often 7 to 8 inches in diameter; color snow-white, flecked with an occasional clear purple spot on edge of center petals; in addition it is very fragrant. Price, 50 cents each.

GIGANTEA—This is one of the rarest and most sought after in cultivation. The finest of all Peonies for cut-flower purposes. It is one of the earliest to bloom, produces an enormous flower 6 to 7 inches in diameter, on long stems; deliciously fragrant.

Price, \$1.25 each.

FELIX CROUSSE—All Peony enthusiasts are familiar with the fact that it is difficult to get a red Peony that is a self-color—

that is, a full, rich, even shade of red without being suffused with a shade of another color. Felix Crousse fills the bill. A rich, even, brilliant, ruby-red, exceptionally fiery, bright and effective: very large, full bell-shaped bloom. Unique in color. Frice, 75 cents each.

MARIE STUART—Large bloom, coming in clusters; outer petals soft pink, center pink and sulphur-white: very chaste bloom. Pleases everybody. Frice, 50 cents each.

Special Offer! One each of the best of Novelties, Felix Crousse, Festiva Maxima, Gigantea and Marie Stuart (\$3.10 value), for \$2.80. One of our very best offers.

NOTE—In ordering Peonies we would advise ordering them by express. You will get larger roots, which will give a much more satisfactory plant.

## The Grand Novelty,

#### THE NEW GOLDEN YELLOW CALLA

Illustrated on back of cover.

This is the great new Yellow Calla of marvelous beauty. Plowers are very large, rich deep golden-yellow, often four to fve inches across the mouth, leaves are sootted with white. Such handsome foliage together with such remarkable flowers present a most striking appearance; easily grown, a grand winter dower. Dont fail to try it. Price, large flowering bulbs, 40 cents each; three for \$1.00, postpaid.

### CYCAS REVOLUTA. (Sago Palm)

Illustrated on back of cover.

The Cycas makes a magnificent specimen plant, and is one of the most valuable plants grown for indoor decoration. Their heavy, glossy, deep green fronds resist alike the gas, dust and cold to which decorative plants are frequently exposed. Price, nice, small, shapely plants, 35, 50 and 75 cents; six to eight leaves, \$1.00 each; eight to ten leaves, \$1.50; ten to twelve leaves, \$2.00. Bulbs increase in size each year and leaves double in size and number. Cycas can be sent by express only.

#### FICUS ELASTICA-India Rubber Plant Illustrated on back of cover.

The Ficus is generally considered one of the most satisfactory, and perhaps the most popular house plant in cultivation. Its wonderfully thick leathery leaves enable it to withstand excessive heat and dryness, while its deep gloss-green foliage always presents a cheerful aspect. It is particularly adapted to house culture. There are several varieties of Rubber Plant, but the true Ficus Elastica is the best. Price, strong specimen plants, 40 cents each; large specimens, by express, 50 and 75 cents each 50 and 75 cents each

#### THE NEW ELEGANT PLUMED FERN Illustrated on back of cover.

Nephrolepis Whitmanii—This is a sport from the Piersoni Fern, in which the plumy peculiarity of the original form is even more distinctly developed than in the original; the side pinnae being again subdivided and standing at right angles to the direction of the midrib, makes both sides of the frond equally beautiful, while, at the same time, the plant is of much more compact habit, growing only one-half as tall, but with the fronds nearly twice as wide, making it a much more desirable plant for all purposes. Price, nice, young plants, 15 cents each; larger plants, 25 cents; specimen plants, 50 and 75 cents.

THE McGREGOR BROS. COMPANY, SPRINGFIELD, OHIO



## Special Bargain Collections

## The "Mammoth" Hyacinth Collection

10 CHOICE HYACINTH BULBS SENT POSTPAID FOR 50 CENTS.

- 1 Double Hyacinth, delicate pink.
  1 Double Hyacinth, blush-white.
  1 Double Hyacinth, brilliant blue.
  1 Double Hyacinth, salmon-yellow.
  1 Double Hyacinth, sky-blue.

1 Single Hyacinth, light pink.
1 Single Hyacinth, dark blue.
1 Single Hyacinth, bright pink.
1 Single Hyacinth, pure white.
1 Single Hyacinth, rich crimson. All well-selected, sound bulbs, sure to bloom. Each bulb wrapped separately, with color of flower printed on paper.

### The "Rainbow" Collection

# 15 SELECTED TULIPS AND HYACINTHS FOR 50 CENTS. 1 Single Tulip, Yellow Prince, yellow 1 Single Tulip, La Reine, white, 1 Single Tulip, Cottage Maid, pink. 1 Single Tulip, Artus, scarlet. 1 Single Late Tulip, Nigrette, black. 1 Single Late Tulip, Parrot, red and reallow.

- 1 Double Hyacinth, delicate pink.
  1 Double Hyacinth, purple.
  1 Single Hyacinth, yellow.
  1 Single Hyacinth, pure white.
  1 Single Hyacinth, sky-blue.
  1 Double Tulip, Gloria Solis, red and
- 1 Double Tulip, Rose Blanche, white.
  1 Double Late Tulip, Bonaparte, brown.

This collection will make a splendid display and be in bloom continuously for two

## The "Snow White" Cemetery Collection

30 SELECT BULBS SENT POSTPAID FOR 50 CENTS.

- 1 LILIUM CANDIDUM, The Beautiful Madonna Lily.
  2 HYACINTHS, Pure White, Double and Single.
  4 TULIPS, Pure White, Double and Single.
  4 SNOWDROPS, Giant Elwesii.
  4 POET'S NARCISSUS.
  5 CROCUS, Large-Flowering White.
  5 SPANISH IRIS, Blanche Superbe, White.
  5 ANEMONES, The Bride, Single, White.

This collection is suitable for cemetery planting or the home garden, where only the flowers are wanted. Try it, and you will be more than pleased. white flowers are wanted.

## "Decoration Day" Collection

18 RARE LATE TULIPS FOR 50 CENTS. AN UNUSUAL BARGAIN.

We will send, postpaid, eighteen named varieties of the choicest and most brilliant flowered new late-flowering Tulips, our selection of varieties, for 50 cents. This will make a gorgeous bed in bloom for several weeks. Try a "Cemetery" collection and a "Decoration Day" collection planted at the cemetery or at your home, and you will not be without flowers from the first of March to the first of June.

## The "February" Collection

15 BULBS FOR 25 CENTS.

This collection is composed of the earliest-flowering bulbs, for outdoor planting. Sure to bloom in February, and often in full bloom when snow covers the ground.

- 5 Hyacinth Azureus-A cluster of rich blue bells.
- 5 Chionodoxa (Glory of the Snow) Beautiful blue stars with white centers
- 5 Elwesii Snowdrops-Large bells; pure white.

## The "Lincoln" Collection

3 NAMED LARGEST-FLOWERED HYACINTHS FOR 25 CENTS.

This collection is made up of the very finest Hyacinths for house culture, which attain their highest perfection if forced to bloom about the middle of February. Plant in December, and grow according to directions for Christmas

- 1 Hyacinth Moreno-A beautiful single bright pink; full
- Hyacinth L'Innocence—A grand pure white, large bells.

  Hyacinth Delicata—Extra-large double flower of lavender-blue.

## The "Wonder" Collection

75 BULBS (free, by mail) FOR 50 CENTS, AFTER NOVEMBER 1, 1909.

When placing our orders for bulbs, which we import from Holland, France, Italy, China, Bermuda, etc., is it impossible to estimate the demand, therefore we usually have a surplus of some varieties, even the finest and most expensive. As they cannot be kept over, we like to close them out at the end of the season; therefore we are able to offer you assorted collections at sacrifice prices. The "Wonder" Collection contains 75 good-sized, sound bulbs, each variety wrapped separately and named, for 50 cents. This Collection cannot be sent until November. Order at any time, and we will forward the bulbs as soon as possible after the first week in November.

## Special Bargain Collections

## The "Satisfaction" Tulip Collection

30 FINE TULIPS SENT POSTPAID FOR 50 CENTS.

- 2 Double Tulips, Duke of York, dark red and
- cream color.
- 2 Double Tulips, Rose Blanche, pure white. 2 Striped Bizarre Tulips. 2 Double Tulips, Lady Palmerston, pink. 2 Late Darwin Tulips. 2 Double Tulips, Lose Blanche, pink.
  2 Late Darwin Tulips.
  2 Late Golden Crown Tulips.
- 2 Single Tulips, Snowball, white.
- 4 Single Tulips, Cottage Maid, pink.

bulbs, true to name and sure to bloom.

- 4 Fancy Parrot Tulips.
- 2 Scarlet Macrospeila Tulips.

- 4 Single Tulips, Chrysolora,

Try this collection. It will give you Tulips in bloom for six weeks. All sound

## The "Daffodil" Collection

25 BULBS FOR 25 CENTS.

This collection will make a very pretty little flower bed to bloom in early spring.

- 1 Double Incomparable Narcissus.
- 1 Single Von Sion Narcissus.
- 2 Double Alba Plena Odorata Narcissus.
- 2 Poeticus or Pheasant's Eye Narcissus.
- 2 Alba Stella Narcissus.
- 2 Jonquil Campernelle Narcissus.
- 15 Crocus.

## The "Surprise" Bulb Collection

150 ASSORTED BULBS BY EXPRESS FOR \$1.00. AFTER NOVEMBER 1, 1908.

Like the "Wonder" Collection, this is made up of fine, sound bulbs of choice varieties which are unsold when the rush of trade is over. But as the "Surprise" Collection can only be sent by express at your expense, it contains a larger proportion of the heavier and more expensive bulbs, such as Hyacinths, Tulips, Narcissus, etc., of the finest varieties, each variety wrapped separately and named. Try it. They are worth four or five times the price we ask. A truly gorgeous display for \$1.00. This Collection cannot be sent until November. Order at any time, and we will forward the bulbs as soon as possible after the first week in November.



## The New "Christmas" Collection

15 LARGE BULBS SENT POSTPAID FOR 50 CENTS.

After careful testing, consultation with our Holland bulb growers, and painstaking study, we have succeeded in forming a collection of winter-flowering bulbs which can easily be brought into bloom at Christmas time by any amateur. This collection will give you a window garden full of brilliant, fragrant and delicate flowers for several weeks. Buy the bulbs early in the fall, and plant them at once in pots or boxes. Water them abundantly immediately after planting, cover the tops of the pots with leaves or excelsior, and place in a dark closet or cellar for four or five weeks, until the roots are well grown. Bring them out to a sunny window three or four weeks before the blooms are desired, as the tops will grow strong and rapidly after the roots are well grown.

These directions apply to the Hyacinths, Tulips and Narcissus, but for the Chinese Sacred Lily see directions on page 12.

- 1 CHINESE SACRED LILY.
  1 WHITE ROMAN HYACINTH.
  2 TULIPS—Duc Van Thol—Scarlet.
  1 PINK ROMAN HYACINTH.
  2 TULIPS—Duc Van Thol—White.
  1 PINK ROMAN HYACINTH.
  2 TULIPS—Duc Van Thol—Red and Gold.
  1 BLUE ROMAN HYACINTH.
  1 NAECISSUS—Paper White.
  3 ALLIUM NEAPOLITANUM.
  1 NAECISSUS—Double Roman.

SPECIAL EXPRESS OFFER—Any three 50-cent Collections for \$1.20, by express; any two 50-cent Collections and one 25-cent Collection for \$1.00 by express. (Purchaser pays charges on all Bulbs ordered sent by express.

ORDER EARLY! We claim the privilege of substituting in any collections ordered after November 1st, when Bulbs are nearly sold out.



double ones. In the double Hyacinth, whereas the single florets are doubled, they are much farther apart on the stem, and therefore do not form nearly so handsome a truss as the single varieties where the trusses are much longer and fuller. We strongly advise the single instead of the double for both bedding and pot culture.

## The Largest Flowered **Newest Varieties**

SINGLE PURE AND TINTED WHITE

L'Innocence—Purest white, large bells, extra ne spike. **Mr. Plimsoll**—Ivory-white, grand showy

Angenis Christina-Pure white, fine erect flower.

#### SINGLE RED, ROSE AND PINK

Moreno-Beautiful waxy pink, large truss, Rose Amaranth-Light rose, charming color,

Cardinal Wiseman-Carmine-red, broad

**King of the Belgians**—Bright crimson-scar-let, upright spike, good bedder. **Rosalia**—Beautiful silvery-rose, very early,

exquisite.

#### SINGLE BLUE, LAVENDER, PURPLE

King of the Blues-Rich dark blue, very large compact flower.

La Peyrouse—Clear porcelain blue, very

show Grand Maitre-Deep sky blue, a favorite

#### SINGLE YELLOW

King of Yellows-Rich, deep yellow, tall spike; large bells.

SPECIAL OFFER—One each of the 12 Named Single Hyacinths for \$1.00, Postpaid.

## Something New! A Christmas Flowering Hyacinth

BISMARCK-Exquisite light sky-blue flower of great size. Fine erect spike. The earliest flowering of the large-flowered varieties. If planted in the early fall it can easily be brought into bloom at Christmas. A beautiful novelty well worth a trial. Large bulbs. Price, 15 cents each; four for 50 cents.

## Unnamed Single Hyacinths in Separate Colors

We recommend single-flowering Hyacinths for bedding, as they hold their blooms more erect and give much more satisfactory results. You can do no better if you want a fine display for a small amount of money than to order a goodly lot of the following splendid bulbs. We offer these fine single Hyacinths in separate colors, as follows:

ROSE PURE WHITE LIGHT BLUE BLUSH WHITE BRIGHT BLUE PINK RED

Price, 5 cents each, 60 cents per dozen, by mail, postpaid.

#### EXPRESS OFFER OF UNNAMED HYACINTHS

By Express, 50 cents per dozen for any of the above Single Unnamed Hyacinths in separate colors. The exceptionally low express offer on the opposite page of 100 Hyacinths for \$3.50, or 200 for \$7.00, applies to Single Hyacinths as well as Double ones. Do not fail to take advantage of this offer. You can border your walk with them, or make a pretty bed in front of the porch.

## Select Named Double Hyacinths PRICE, YOUR SELECTION, 10 CENTS EACH.

In the following list of double flowering Hyacinths we offer you the latest improvements in this popular flower. We have made every effort to obtain the most distinct and richest colored varieties producing the largest flowers in both Single and Double Flowered Hyacinths.

## The Largest Flowered Choice Varieties

DOUBLE PURE AND TINTED WHITE

Prince of Waterloo—Pure white, very large flower, early. Isabella—A beautiful white, faintly tinted with rose, large.

DOUBLE BLUE, LAVENDER PURPLE

Prince of Saxony—A rich purple-blue, large and early. Garrick—Deep bright blue, very large spike.

DOUBLE RED, ROSE AND PINK

Bouquet Royal-Clear salmon-pink with red center. Grootvorst-An old favorite, fine rich rose color.

DOUBLE YELLOW

Sunflower-Clear, pure, light yellow, one of the best.

#### SPECIAL OFFER

One each of the above seven Double Hyacinths for 60 cents. Seven for 60 cents.

## New Double Hyacinths of Special Merit PRICE, 15 CENTS EACH.

Chestnut Flower—Extra large truss of exquisite delicate pink. Bells very large and very double.

La Grandesse—A splendid snow-white flower. Large perfectly double bells forming a long spike. New.

Princess Louise-Rich deep red. An extra fine flower. Delicate—Charming light blue with darker blue shading in the center. Firm, erect, extra large spike.

President Roosevelt-A fine rich pink. Big compact spike.

SPECIAL OFFER—One each of the five newest Double Hyacinths for 60 cents.

## Unnamed Double Hyacinths in Separate Colors

These are selected unnamed sorts, and are chiefly used for outdoor planting, but can also be used for pot culture, although we advise using the named varieties for house culture. These are just what is wanted for massing in borders or display beds. These bulbs are the product of one of the best growers in Holland, and are good size, solid, and will produce splendid flowers. We offer them in the following separate colors

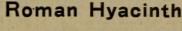
PURE WHITE BLUSH WHITE ROSE PINK RED LIGHT BLUE BRIGHT BLUE PURPLE YELLOW

Price, 5 cents each, 60 cents per dozen, by mail, postpaid.

## EXPRESS OFFER OF UNNAMED HYACINTHS

By Express, 50 cents per dozen for any of the UNNAMED DOUBLE HYACINTHS in separate colors.

For \$3.50 we will send by express (purchaser paying the charges) 100 Hyacinths in any color or colors, single or double, which will make a bed of fifteen feet in circumference or five feet in diameter composed of five rows planted six inches apart. If your bed should be of another shape or larger, and would require more than 100, we will offer them at the same



The Roman Hyacinth is indispensable in the winter window garden, but can not be planted outdoors. They are among the Jew flowers which can be had as early as Christmas and New Years. Three can be planted in a four-inch pot, which, when in bloom, form a mass of waxy bells of unrivaled beauty and fragrance. Each bulb throws up several flower spikes. Don't fail to plant a quantity of them.

#### EARLY WHITE ROMAN-Select Bulbs

Will produce several spikes of waxy white bells. Price, 4 cents each; 45 cents per dozen.

#### EARLY WHITE ROMAN—Mammoth Bulbs

Each bulb will give a large bunch of graceful flowers. Price, 7 cents each; 75 cents per dozen.

#### SINGLE PINK ROMAN

Exquisite delicate pink; very charming for early flowering in e house. Price, 5 cents each; 50 cents per dozen.

#### SINGLE BLUE ROMAN

Clear pale sky-blue; fine in contrast with white and pink. Price, 5 cents each; 50 cents per dozen.

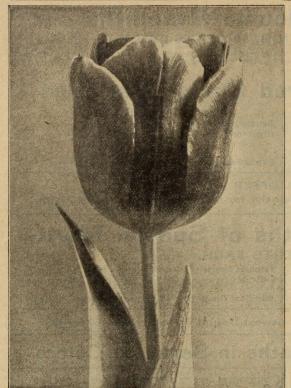
The Surprise Bulb Collection which I received of you in November was a surprise indeed. I never saw such value given by any one before. I have been well pleased with my orders from you in the past and never fail to give you a recommendation.

MRS. J. W. LOVELACE.

White Roman Hyacinth

See "SURPRISE" Bulb Collection offer on page 3,

# HEMCGREGOR BROS CO BULB DEPARTMEN



Single Tulip, Rose Gris de Lin

## Named Single Early Tulips

	Each	Doz.	100	
La Reine—(Queen Victoria.) White, very faintly tinged rose; 10 inches	3c	30c	\$1 40	
L'Immaculee (Snowball.) Pure white, yellow base, large, early (9 inches)	3c	30c	1 30	
Cottage Maid—Carmine-pink, lower half pure white with yellow base (8 inches)	. 4c	35c	1 50	
striped with crimson (9 inches)  Joost van Vondel—Deep cherry-red, with	4c	35c	2 50	
feather of white at base of each petal (10 inches)	4c	35c	2 00	
shaded golden yellow. Sweet scented, large (12 inches)	4c	35c	2 00	
Artus—Bright scarlet, showy bedder (8 inches)	3c	30c	1 75	
Elnora—Light violet with claret shading, (9 inches)  Chrysolora—Clear bright yellow; very large,	4c	35c	2 00	
exquisitely fragrant (10 inches)  Yellow Prince of Orange—A beautiful	3c	30c	1 50	
canary-yellow; after flower has bloomed for several days, flecks of red appear (12)	196 14		•	
inches)  Kaiser-kroon—Base and edge of petals a	3c	30c	1 50	
rich orange, having in the center a crown of scarlet; rich, brilliant, large (12)	Car and		12.	
inches)	4c	35c	2 00	

Duc Van Thol Tulips

Very early, and especially valuable for pot culture; height from six to seven inches.

	Each	Doz.
Duc Van Thol—Red and Yellow—Red, edged yellow—Duc Van Thol—White. Beautiful. Duc Van Thol—Rose. Rosy-pink Duc Van Thol—Scarlet. Brilliant	30 40 50	30c 35c 50c 30c

## Early Tulips

Tulips are the most satisfactory of spring-flowering bulbs. They are extremely hardy and of easy culture, blooming as freely and producing as fine flowers in a confined town garden as in a more favored place. Double and Single Tulips, when associated together and planted in front of shrubs, maintain a longer display than if either are separately planted. One of the prettiest ways to plant them is in the sod next the foundation of the house, where they will come up and bloom year after year with no care. year with no care.

## New Single Early Tulips

Especially Adapted for Blooming Indoors.

	Each	Doz.
Rose Gris de Lin-The finest bright pink single		1000
Tulip; delicate cerise-pink, base of petals white	100	
(6 inches)	5c	40c
White Hawk (Albion)—Very large snow-white		
flowers; one of the finest whites for either bed-	1	
ding or forcing (12 inches)	5c	40c
Vernalion Brilliant-Very large dazzling ver-		
milion-scarlet, decidedly the most popular of		1
all red tulips (12 inches)	8c	60c
Mon Tresor—The earliest rellow. Extra large	100	
flower of rich, deep yellow. Splendid for bed-	-	
ding or forcing (10 inches)	5c	40c
Rose Luisante Long, large flower of brilliant	1	
rose. Unsurpassed for pots or bedding (8 inches)	7c	60c
Prince of Austria-Glittering coppery-red with	1500	
orange shading. Very large and sweet scented	133	
(9 inches)	6c	50c
	100	

SPECIAL OFFER
One each of the above six new Tulips for 30 cents.



Single Tulip, Vermilion Brilliant



# EARLY TULIPS

## Named Double Early Tulips

	Each	Doz.	100	
La Candeur—Pure white, full, large; extensively grown for bedding (8 inches) Rose Blanche—Very double and pure	3e	30c	\$1	75
white, green at base of each petal; remains in bloom a long time (8 inches).  Duke of York—Lovely variety, very dou-	30	30c	1	75
ble; carmine-rose, edged broadly with white, suffused rose (10 inches)	3c	30c	1	75
Count Leicester—Orange and yellow feathered; very fine (7 inches)  Gloria Solis—A grand flower; deep crimson,	3e	30c	2	00
with broad golden margins; very large; (9 inches)  Rex Rubrorum—Bright scarlet; superb for	40	35c	2	00
bedding; large and showy (9 inches) Lady Palmerston—A beautiful variety of	4c	35c	2	25
delicate rose-pink shaded and striped with white; extra fine (9 inches)  Arabella—An immense flower of rich car-	4c	35c	2	00
mine-rose color; very fine  Salvator Rosa—The finest of double pink	4c	40c	2	50
Tulips; brilliant pink, almost solid color; fine for house or garden	6c	60c	5	00
<b>Rubra Maxima</b> —Dazzling ruby-red, base of petals green; early (8 inches)	4c	35e	2	25

## Mixed Tulips for Bedding

We have a large stock of unnamed Tulips for bedding, which we price so low as to make a large mass of these showy flowers a matter of trifling expense. They are excellent bulbs, and will bear handsome blooms.

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Superfine Mixture Single Tulips—A first-class mixture. Price, 25 cents per dozen, 55 for \$1.00, by mail, postpaid. By express, \$1.25 per 100.

Superfine Mixture Double Tulips—A fine mixture. Price, 25 cents per dozen, 55 for \$1.00, by mail, postpaid. By express, \$1.25 per 100.

Tulips by the hundred cannot be sent by mail. At prices given, bulbs in large quantities must be sent by express at purchaser's expense.



Early Double Tulip-Salvator Rosea

## Collections of Tulips for Beds

### Circular Bed "A" of 180 Single Early Named Tulips FOR \$3.00 BY EXPRESS

This collection will make a gorgeous bed seven feet in diameter, requiring 180 bulbs planted five inches apart.

First row (outside)-43 Artus, scarlet. First row (outside)—43 Artus, scarlet.
Second row—37 Artus, scarlet.
Third row—31 Chrysolora, yellow.
Fourth row—25 Chrysolora, yellow.
Centre—44 Thomas Moore, orange-red.

### Circular Bed "B" of 180 Single Early Named Tulips FOR \$3.00 BY EXPRESS

This collecti on is designed for a bed seven feet in diameter, requiring 180 bulbs planted five inches apart.

First row (outside)-43 Cottage Maid, pink, First fow (outside)—43 Cottage main, p Second row—37 Cottage Maid, pink. Third row—31 La Reine, white. Fourth row—25 La Reine, white. Center—44 Joost Von Vondel, cherry-red.

### Circular Bed "C" of 180 Double Early Named Tulips FOR \$3.00 BY EXPRESS

This bed is designed to be planted like "A" and "B," requiring 180 bulbs planted five inches apart to fill a bed seven feet in diameter.

First row (outside) -43 Gloria Solis, double red and vellow. Second row—37 Gloria Solis, double red and yellow Third row—31 La Candeur, double pure white. Fourth row—25 La Candeur, double pure white. Center—44 Rex Rubrorum, double scarlet.

### Circular Bed of Tulips "D" 156 Named Single Early Tulips FOR \$2.75 BY EXPRESS

This collection is designed to fill a bed six feet in diameter, requiring 156 bulbs planted five inches apart each way. This bed is to be divided in quarters, the diagonal sections being alike.

Section No. 1-39 Joost Von Vondel, deep cherry-red. Section No. 2—39 Chrysolora, brilliant golden-yellow. Section No. 3—39 Joost Von Vondel, deep cherry-red. Section No. 4—39 Chrysolora, brilliant golden-yellow.

### Circular Bed of Tulips "E" 156 Named Single Early Tulips FOR \$2.75 BY EXPRESS

This collection is designed for a bed planted in the manner of Tulip Bed "D," but of different colors, using for

Section No. 1—Cottage Maid, light pink. Section No. 2—Artus, bright red. Section No. 3—Cottage Maid, light pink. Section No. 4—Artus, bright red.

Collections "D" and "E" will also both make beautiful beds of striking effect if planted in the shape of a Greek cross.



# May-Flowering or Late Garden Tulips These Late-Flowering Garden Tulips are generally in full flush of bloom about Decoration Day,

The late-flowering Tulips far surpass the earlier varieties in many ways—they are twice as tall, the colors are much more brilliant, the blooms remain perfect for at least three weeks, and are not affected by late frosts. Their growing popularity makes it almost impossible to supply the demand.

#### Named Single Old English or Cottage Tulips

	Each	Doz.
Isabella, or Shandon Bells-Opens as a pale primrose		
flushed with pink, changing to a bright rosy-carmine; a large and long flower;	5c	45c
Parisian White—A beautiful pure white flower with large round petals, very fine for cemetery	6c	60c
Nigrette (The Black Tulip.) A unique variety of glob- ular form and jet black in color; a striking novelty	5c	50c
Ida—(Bouton d'Or.) Rich golden yellow; a large globe- shaped flower; very brilliant— Maiden's Blush—(Picotee.) Large bell-shaped flower;	4c	30c
white, with broad pink border, edged with crimson;	5e	45c
Golden Crown—Pale yellow, edged crimson; pointed petals; very showy	3c	30c

#### The Giant Gesneriana Tulips

Gesneriana Major—The tallest and showlest Tulip known; rich, dazzling scarlet, with blue-black center (24 inches) Gesneriana Orange Beauty—This new Tulip is truly a	5c	40c
wonder. The enormous flower is of the most brilliant orange-red, a color very unusual; sweet-scented (24 inches)  Gesneriana Lutea—Considered by many the finest of all	5c	50c
yellow Tulips; immense globe-shaped flowers of rich golden-yellow, delicately perfumed (20 inches)	6c	60c
scarlet, black and yellow center (20 inches)	4c	30c

SPECIAL OFFER—One each of the four Giant Gesneriana Tulips for 15 cents.

#### Named Double Cottage Tulips

4c	35c
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5c	50c
3e	30e
	5c



#### Bizarre Tulip. Various Odd Late Tulips

Bizarres—Varieties with deep yellow grounds marked with orange, scarlet, crimson, brown, black, etc.; mixed sorts, mixed colors. 3 cents each, 30 cents per dozen.

Bybloomen—White ground color, flaked or blotched with blue, lilac, violet, purple or black; markings are very pretty. 4 cents each, 25 cents per dozen.

35 cents per dozen.

Darwin—The flowers are very large, of symmetrical form, large, of symmetrical form, and are borne on tall, strong stems often two feet high; they by far surpass in colors and brilliancy anything before known in Tulips; rare colors—violet, purple, brown, blue, orange, etc.; mixed colors. 5 cents each, 40 cents per dozen.

Parrot or Dragon Tulips—Very large flowers of singu-

Very large flowers of singular and picturesque forms and brilliant colors, very beautiful and interesting; the petals are curiously the petals are curiously twisted, fringed or cut; colors a mixture of yellow, scarlet, brown, green, crimson and orange. 4 cents each, 35 cents per dozen. Mixed Late Tulips, 25 for 60 cents, by mail.

Mixed Late Tulips, 50 for \$1.00, by express.

#### ORDER EARLY! AND PLANT EARLY!

Our Bulbs are usually all sold out by December 1st. Send for our new catalogue January 1st. We cannot fill orders for Bulbs sent us after December 10th.



A Bed of Late Tulips. (See Page 9)

#### GRAPE HYACINTH

This charming little gem should be found in every garden in abundance. It has been termed the "Blue Lily of the Valley," and when planted in a mass with that sweet flower it does resemble it to some extent and forms a most fascinating combination.

Blue-Price, four for 5 cents, 10 cents per dozen, 60 cents per 100.

White-Price, three for 5 cents, 20 cents per dozen.

#### HYACINTH AZUREUS

(The "February" or "Heavenly Blue" Hyacinth)

A new variety of the Grape Hyacinth type, but much improved. Color a clear blue, lighter than the common Grape Hyacinth. Greatly valued, because it is in full bloom in February in the open ground. Price, 4 cents each, 25 cents per dozen, \$1.75 per 100.

#### FEATHER, or COCKADE HYACINTHS

Of this elegant Hyacinth the spike of bloom resembles a feathery plume and is of a fine blue color. The bloom first appears as a tassel about an inch or two long, of a rich blue color, but as it expands is marked with pink, and at the end of two months is developed into a beautiful plume six inches in length, of exquisite coloring—pink, violet and blue. Desirable for both house and garden. The bulbs rapidly increase and are perfectly hardy. We have secured a fine supply this season. Price, 3 cents each, six for 15 cents, twelve for 25 cents.

### ANEMONES

Very beautiful and brilliant spring-flowering bulbs, which should be found in all gardens. Fine colors, such as brilliant scarlet, red, blue, rose, striped carnation, etc. For pot culture they are very fine.

Single-Mixed colors. Price, 3 cents each, 25 cents per dozen. Double-Mixed colors. Price, 4 cents each, 35 cents per dozen. The Bride—An exquisite pure white, single flower of waxy texture, very large. Price, 4 cents each, 35 cents per dozen.

Chionodova Luciliae

CHIONODOXA LUCILIAE (Glory of the Snow)

One of the most lovely hardy flowering spring bulbs, producing lovely azure-blue flowers with pure white center. It is one of the earliest of all flowers, blooming before the Crocus. Price, two for 3 cents, 15 cents per dozen, \$1.25 per 100, by mail.



#### SCILLA SIBIRICA (Squills, or Wood Hyacinths)

One of the loveliest spring flowers. Color almost as deep as the sky itself. Quite hardy, and flowers out of doors at the same time as the Snowdrop, in front of which it gives a splendid effect. Planted in pots and kept indoors, it may be had in bloom as early as Christmas. Price, two for 5 cents; 25 cents per dozen, \$1.50 per 100, by mail.

FRENCH RANUNCULUS

Among dwarf flowers these are unrivaled for lovely form and bright and attractive colors of white, crimson, yellow, purple, black, many of them being beautifully marked. They flower profusely in pots in the house during winter or in open border in spring. Price, 3 cents each, 25 cents per dozen.



Single Snowdrops

#### **SNOWDROPS**

These are the first flowers to greet us in the spring, their pretty drooping snow-white blossoms appearing in March, a few days ahead of the Scilla Sibirica, with which they form a charming contrast. They are also charming for house culture in pots, blooming usually at Christmas. The Giant Snowdrops we offer are much superior to the common variety, producing larger flowers.

Giant Snowdrop Elwesil-A very large, tall variety; fine for cutting; flowers three times the size of ordinary single Snowdrops and sweet-scented. Price, 2 cents each, 15 cents per dozen, 90 cents per 100, by

Giant Double Snowdrop—Price, 3 cents each, 25 cents per dozen, \$1.25 per 100, by mail.

#### CAMASSIA ESCULENTA

(Mountain Hyacinth)

A fine hardy plant, thriving best in a partially shaded situation. Produces beautiful spikes two feet tall, which bear twenty or more clear, rich blue flowers. Fine either to bloom in the house in winter of in masses in the garden in early spring. Price, 4 cents each, 20 cents per dozen, \$1.25 per 100.



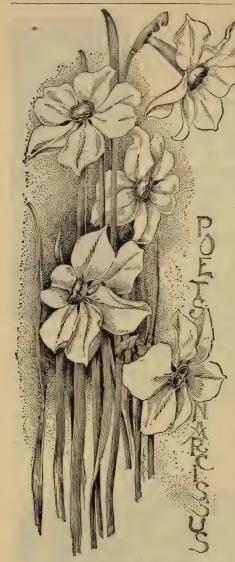
Camassia Esculenta

Circular Bed of Tulips "F," 130 Single Late Tulips for \$3.00 (by Express)

This is designed for a bed five feet in diameter, requiring 130 bulbs planted five inches apart each way in circles. The late Tulips are usually in bloom during the last two weeks of May or first of June, and remain in bloom a much longer time than do the early Tulips. Moreover, they are more sure to produce perfect blooms, as the late frosts do not affect them. This collection will make a brilliant display.

First row (outside)—36 Isabella (yellow, edged pink, changing to carmine). Second row—30 Maiden's Blush (white, changing to light pink). Third row—24 Gesneriana Lutea (enormous light yellow). Center—40 Gesneriana Major





## **CROCUS**

The Crocus is one of the first flowers of Spring and one of the best for blooming in the house during the winter. They bloom splendidly when planted on the lawn among the grass. They lift their bright heads up through the sod very early, and give the lawn a-charming aspect.

Giant Crocus produce from ten to twenty blooms to each bulb.

#### NAMED GIANT CROCUS

Large Yellow-Most prolific bloomer; very large brilliant vellow.

President Lincoln—A rich dark purple, extra large.
Sir Walter Scott—White, finely striped with violet; a dainty flower.

Baron Von Bruno—Enormous flower of brilliant blue. King of the Whites—The finest and largest pure white. Cloth of Gold—The earliest of all Crocus. Deep yellow with brown shadings.

Price, any of above-named Giant varieties, 12 cents per dozen; 75 cents per 100, by mail; by express, 60 cents per 100.

Mixed Giant Crocus, price 10 cents per dozen, 60 cents per 100, by mail; by express, 50 cents per 100.

Crocus. Mixed, all colors, 8 cents per dozen, 50 cents per 100, by mail; by express, 40 cents per 100.

## NARCISSUS OR DAFFODILS

#### POLYANTHUS NARCISSUS

NEW EARLY DOUBLE YELLOW AND WHITE

Double Roman—White perianth with a double orange and yellow cup; very early and free-flowering, and valuable for forcing and pot culture. Price, 4 cents each, 30 cents per dozen.

Paper White—This beautiful pure white sort is several weeks earlier than the ordinary Polyanthus, and can be had in bloom in a short time. Just the thing for Christmas. Large clusters of pure white flowers, which remain perfect for several weeks. Extra size bulbs. Price, 5 cents each, 45 cents per dozen.

#### NARCISSUS POETICUS

Pheasant's Eye, or Poet's Narcissus—Flowers large, snow-white, with beautiful cup suffused with bright orange-red; blooms in May; very fragrant. Price, 3 cents each, 20 cents per dozen; by express, \$1.00 per 100.

Poeticus Ornatus—The most perfect form of the Poet's Narcissus. It is more symmetrical than the old Poeticus, and blooms almost a month earlier; flowers large, pure white, cup margined with scarlet, and as fragrant as the type.

Price, 4 cents each, 25 cents per dozen; by express, \$1.25 per 100.

#### NARCISSUS JONQUILLA, or JONQUILS

Much prized for their charming golden and deliciously sweet-scented flowers; perfectly hardy and flowering very early in the spring; they are admirably adapted for winter forcing.

Double Jonquil—Heads of small but very double deep golden-yellow flowers, powerfully scented and good for forcing. Price, 3 cents each 30 cents per dozen.

Campernelle—A grand variety, producing freely large yellow flowers, sweet-scented, four to six on a stem. Price, 3 cents each, 20 cents per dozen.

Campernelle Regulosus—Giant Jonquil, the largest flowering. A handsome flower, color pure yellow, very fragrant. Price, 3 cents each, 25 cents per dozen.

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Try planting Scillas, Snowdrops, Chionodoxas between the bulbs in your Tulip, Hyacinth or Narcissus bed. They carpet the ground with bloom before the larger flowers bloom, and the effect is beautiful.

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#### ORDER EARLY AND PLANT EARLY

Our Bulbs are usually all sold out by December 1st. To bloom well in the spring, Hyacinths, Tulips, Narcissus, etc., must be planted in October.



Giant Crocus

## SINGLE NARCISSUS

OR

## DAFFODILS

These charming, graceful flowers are prime favorites for early blooming in the garden. They are bright and hardy (except the Polyanthus sorts), and nearly all are most deliciously fragrant. Of easy culture, they are equally satisfactory for potting and for the open bed and borders.

#### TWO NEW LARGE WHITE NARCISSUS

Albicans (Moschatus)—A very large, handsome flower. Petals pure white, long trumpets of pale cream-white. Very novel and beautiful. Price, 6 cents each, 60 cents per dozen.

Mrs. Langtry—Pure white perianth, broad and overlapping; large white cup, edged bright canary-yellow; free bloomer, and exquisite as a cut flower. Price, 4 cents each, 35 cents per dozen.

#### TWO NEW LARGE YELLOW NARCISSUS

Golden Spur—Large, spreading, full, deep yellow perianth; trumpet golden-yellow. A charming, richly perfumed flower, and one of the very best of the Golden Trumpets. Price, 6 cents each, 60 cents per dozen.

Emperor—One of the finest Daffodils in cultivation. Entire flower of the richest yellow, trumpet of immense size, and the petals of the perianth are so broad they overlap, and measure three and one-half inches across; grand for cutting.

Price, 6 cents each, 60 cents per dozen.

## TWO NEW LARGE YELLOW AND WHITE NARCISSUS

Empress—Perianth snow-white, trumpet rich yellow, serrated and flanged at the edges; large in outline, and of rare beauty for cutting. Price, 6 cents each, 60 cents per dozen.

Stella—One of the first to bloom; flowers star-shaped, pure white with yellow cup; large, wonderfully free-blooming, and one of the very best for general decoration or for cutting. Price, 3 cents each, 30 cents per dozen.

#### NOVELTY NARCISSUS COLLECTION

SPECIAL OFFER — One each of the 25c.

#### SINGLE OR TRUMPET NARCISSUS

Single Von Sion, or Trumpet Major—Flowers large and almost a deep golden; highly prized as an early forcing sort. Price, 4 cents each, 35 cents per dozen.

Princess—Very early. This is one of the most popular winter-flowering and forcing varieties grown. Flowers large, perianth sulphury; an immense, rich yellow trumpet. Price, 3 cents each, 30 cents per dozen.

Early Trumpet—A brilliant yellow flower, rather small, but valued for its extreme earliness. Price, 3 cents each, 30 cents per dozen.

## HOOP PETTICOAT or BABY NARCISSUS

Bulbocodium—Exceedingly pretty flowers, of a rich citronyellow. It is a gem for pot culture and edging, and bears from six to twelve flowers to each bulb. Price, 6 cents each. 60 cents per dozen.



"Hoop Petticoat" or "Baby Narcissus."

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Bulbocodium Monophylla (Pure White)
—A dainty little flower of exquisite beauty, six inches high, and of purest waxy whiteness.
Price, 7 cents each, 70 cents per dozen.

Special Offer

Four Baby Narcissus, two white and two yellow, for 20c.



Emperor and Empress Narcissus.

#### DOUBLE PEERLESS NARCISSUS

or Camellia-Flowered Daffodil

Incomparable—"Butter and Eggs." Full double flowers of rich yellow, with orange nectary. Splendid forcing variety. Price, 4 cents each, 40 cents per dozen.

Sulphur or Silver Phoenix—(Codlins and Cream.) Creamy white, with pale sulphur center. Considered the finest of the double sorts. Price, 6 cents each; 50 cents per dozen.

Alba Plena Odorata—The double white Poet's Narcissus. Snow-white; Cape Jessamine like flowers, exquisitely scented; fine for forcing. Price, 3 cents each, 30 cents per dozen.

Double Von Sion—"The True Double Yellow Daffodil." Rich golden-yellow perianth and trumpet. This is the old favorite so highly prized in old-fashioned gardens. It is as handsome as ever, and deserves to be planted in quantity where it can remain undisturbed for several years; it will then thrive and bloom in increasing profusion every spring. It is also one of the best winter flowering. Mammoth bulbs, producing two or more flowers, 6 cents each, 50 cents per dozen.

Plant a permanent bed of Narcissus, and fill it in with Petunias or Pansies for the summer, which will give you a flower bed in bloom eight months of the year. Writefor prices on Narcissus in quantity.

## THE MCGREGOR BROS CO BULB DEPARTMEN

## Bulbs Adapted for House Culture Only

#### **OXALIS**

Admirably adapted to house culture, and nothing is prettier for window plants, as they flower freely. Plant in pots, six or eight bulbs in a pot, and cover about one inch deep.

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Boweii—Vivid rosy-crimson, large flower, remarkably fine. Price, three for 5 cents, 15 cents per dozen.

Versicolor—Rose and white, delicately beautiful. Price, four for 5 cents, 10 cents per dozen.

Cernua Flora Simplex—Fine single yellow. Price, three for 5 cents, 20 cents per dozen.

Mixed Oxalis—Fine bulbs in mixed colors, which will make a very pretty effect when planted together. Price, four for five cents, 10 cents per dozen.

#### THE BERMUDA BUTTERCUP OXALIS

This is one of the finest winter-flowering plants for pot culture that we have ever seen. The flowers are of the purest buttercup-yellow. When grown in a partially shaded situation the flowers remain open all the time. Properly treated, the plant will flower in six weeks from the time the bulbs are planted. Price, 5 cents each, six for 25 cents.



Single Oxalis.

### ALLIUM NEAPOLI-TANUM

A very pretty winter-blooming bulb in the house. Its flower stems are twenty inches high, supporting a large cluster of delicate white flowers, which keep perfectly many weeks. Price, three for 5 cents, 15 cents per

#### THREE BEAUTIFUL FREESIAS

REFRACTA ALBA

For winter blooming in the house it is most popular. The splendid blossoms are borne in great profusion; color creamy-white, the lower petals touched with yellow; the perfume is delicious. Four to six bulbs can be planted in a five-inch pot, box or pan, and grown like other bulbs. By planting at intervals from September to November, a succession of flowers can be had throughout the winter. We offer the largest and finest bulbs. Price, 3 cents each, six for 15 cents, twelve for 25 cents, thirty for 50 cents.

#### THE NEW WHITE FREESIA,

PURITY

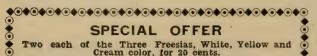
A grand Freesia, and no one should be without a few bulbs of this delightful novelty. Flowers which are snowy-white, of large size, are borne in great profusion on long stems which grow upright and stiff; are excellent for cut-flower purposes.

Price, 5 cents each, six for 25 cents, 40 cents per dozen.

#### LEICHTLINII MAJOR

(THE YELLOW FREESIA)

This has charming, large primrose-yellow flowers marked with orange blotches and very fragrant. Price, 4 cents each, six for 20 cents, 35 cents per dozen.





Chinese Sacred Lily.

## Chinese Sacred Narcissus

(Oriental Lily or "Joss Flower")

The most satisfactory of all winter-blooming bulbs. No home should be without one. Nothing is easier cared for or gives as great an abundance of deliciously scented bloom. Fill a bowl or similar vessel with pebbles, in which place the bulb, setting it about one-half its depth, so that it will be held firmly, then fill with water to the top of the pebbles, and place in a warm, sunny window. The bulb will at once commence rapid growth and bloom in four or five weeks. The bulbs are so large and have so much vitality they can be kept perfectly dry all winter and be planted any time when the flowers are desired. Price, extra size, 12 cents each, five for 30 cents; by express, \$1.00 per dozen.





# Cyclamen or Persian Violet

(New Improved.) Red, White and Pink.

There is no more ornamental plant for green-house or parlor culture than the Cyclamen. It grows readily, blooms freely, and remains a long time in flower. The soil should be equal parts of turfy loam, leaf mold and silver sand. Put in pots three times the diameter of the bulb in October. Keep them in a cool, light place, watering lightly until growth begins. The whole secret of growing Cyclamens to perfection is light, air and low temperature. Price, 20 cents each, three separate colors for 50 cents.

## Sprekelia Formosissima

(Mexican Scarlet Lily)

Any description would be inadequate to give a correct idea of the superb brilliancy of the flowers of this Lily. They are of a dark velvety-scarlet, shading to marcon and having a satiny-white stripe in the center of each petal. In form more graceful than any Lily we know of. If planted in the same manner as the Chinese Sacred Lily, the blooms wil! appear much sooner, but will n. Liast as long as when planted in earth. Price, 15 cents each, two for 25 cents, three for 35 cents.

#### AMARYLLIS JOHNSONII

One of the most gorgeous bulbous plants grown. We have seen specimens of a few years' growth that completely filled a window. Nothing is more showy that this grand plant during late winter or early spring, bearing large flowers of intense crimson with a delicate white feather in each petal. Price, extra large bulbs, 50 cents each.



Cyclamen, or Persian Violet.

### WHITE CALLA LILY

This is the old white Calla that is so well known that it needs very little description. The foliage is a beautiful deep green, and flower a pure white and perfect form. Price, good bulbs, 10 cents each; extra large bulbs, 20 cents each.

## CALLA RICHARDIA (Spotted Calla)

The Richardia Alba, or Spotted Calla—Leaves are of the richest green spotted with pure white; the flowers are white, with a rich chocolate throat. It can either be grown in a pot, planted in a border or in a vase or rustic stand. Price, 10 cents each; large bulbs, 20 cents each.

#### **DWARF CALLA "GEM"**

Flowers the same shape as the White Calla Lily. The only objection to the old variety is that it sometimes grows tall and scraggy; but the "Gem" is of strong and dwarf habit. The foliage is of a lustrous dark green; the flowers are produced in the greatest profusion, being literally an ever-bloomer. Price, 15 cents each, two for 25 cents.

#### THE YELLOW CALLA "ELLIOTTIANA"

For description and price see first page cover; illustrated on back.

#### The Great Dragon Arum (Black Calla)

This plant has the honor of producing the largest flower of any plant that is hardy in this country. The leaf stems and flower stalks are all spotted with purple, and flower of gigantic size and curious color. On the outside it is of a light green color, while the inside is of a deep redpurple. The spadix in the center of the flower is of a glossy, purple-black color. Price, good bulbs, 15 cents each; extra large bulbs, 25 cents each.



White Calla and Spotted Leaved Calla.



internation Laster Lily—The flowers of this magnificent Lily are trumpet-shaped, pure white, gracefully formed and delightfully fragrant. The freedom with which the flowers are produced is truly remarkable, even the smallest bulb blooming freely. Price, large bulbs, 25 cents each, three for 65 cents, \$2.50 per dozen.

#### Fairy Lilies-Zephyranthes

Beautiful dwarf bulbous plants, very effective for masses or borders, flowering with great profusion during summer; are most suitable for pot culture.

Alba-Pure white. Price, 5c. each, 40c. per dozen, \$3.00 per 100. Rosea—Large rose-colored flowers. Price, 5 cents each, 40 cents per dozen, \$3.00 per hundred.

#### Lilium Tennifolium

The lovely Coral Lily of Siberia. A great beauty; the brightest of all Lilies. Grows twenty inches high, with finely cut foliage, slender stems and beautiful shaped flowers of a brilliant coral-red; fine for cutting, and make such grand clumps for the lawn; blooms very early. Having an enormous stock of this exquisite Lily, we are prepared to offer it at the exceedingly low price, 15 cts. each, 3 for 40 cts.,\$1.50 per dozen.

SPECIAL OFFER No. 256—One each of the Eleven Hardy Garden Lilies on this page for \$1.75, postpaid, or for \$1.65 if sent by express. One of the best offers in our Catalogue.



## ALYSSU M

Little Gem—Price, 5 cents per packet. Little Dorrit—An improved large-flowering Little Dorrit—An improved large-flowering variety. Price, 10 cents per packet.

ANTIRRHINUM-(Snapdragon)

Giant Flowered Mixed-Price, 10 cents per packet.

BELLIS PERENNIS—(Double English Daisy) New Snowball-Large, pure white. Price, 10 cents per

Giant Mixed—All colors, large-flowered sorts. Price, 10 cents per packet.

Fine Mixed—All colors. Price, 5 cents per packet.

Giant Marguerite, Snowflake—Pure white, large flowers; very fragrant; excellent for cemetery. Price, 10 cents per packet.

packet.
Giant Marguerite, Mixed—A fine mixture of red, pink, rose, white and variegated.
Price, 10 cents per packet.
Garden Carnation, Extra Fine Mixed—Embracing all the finest colors.
Chibaud's Everblooming—Extra early blooming, very fine, large flowers.
Price, 20 cents per packet.

#### CAMPANULA

Calycanthema—(Canterbury Bell.) Fine mixed. Price, 5 cents per packet.

Pure White—Price, 5 cents per packet. Mixed Varieties—Price, 5 cents per packet.

#### CINERARIA

Hybrid Mixed-Price, 15 cents per packet.

#### CYCLAMEN

Giant Flowered Mixed-Price, 15 cents per packet.

DIANTHUS-Hardy Sweet Clove Pinks

Double Hardy Mixed—Double and semi-double, fringed in any shades. Price, 10 cents per packet.
Single Hardy Mixed—Price, 5 cents per packet.

#### SHASTA DAISY

Improved large flowering. Price, 15 cents per packet.

Mixed-All the hardiest kinds. Price, 15 cents per packet.

#### FORGET-ME-NOT

Turquois—Large turquois blue. Price, 5 c. Mixed Color—Price, 5 cents per packet. 5 cents per packet.

#### GAILLARDIA

Grandiflora, Single-Price, 5 cents per packet.

#### FUCHSIA

Extra Fine Mixed-Price, 20 cents per packet.

#### GERANIUMS

Zonal Mixed—Leaves are marked with rich dark rings, flow- s scarlet. Price, 5 cents per packet.

Apple Scented—Price, 15 cents per packet.

#### MINGNONETTE

Red Gollath—New variety, giant trusses of flowers especial-suited for house culture. Price, 10 cents per packet. Reseda Odorata—The old-fashioned sweet. Price, 5 cents

per packet.

Defiance—Extra fine. Price, 10 cents per packet.

#### PRIMROSES

Large Flowered Chinese—All colors, white, pink, rose and imson, with yellow eyes. Price, 20 cents per packet.

Obconica Grandiflora Fringed—Price, 15 cts. per packet.

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McGregor's Maxima Mixture—Finest of all mammoth flowring kinds in endless variety. Price, 25 cts. per packet.

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THE INTERNATIONAL PANSY COLLECTION—One packet each of McGregor's Maxima, Masterpiece, Parisian Strained and English Prize, for 75 cents. Over 1,000 seeds of the finest Pansies known. Try this collection.

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Giant Madam Perret—Beautiful, delicate pink. Price, 15

cents per packet.
Giant Cardinal—Rich, bright red, nearly scarlet. Price, 15

cents per packet.
Giant Psyche—Velvety violet with white ruffled edge. Price,
15 cents per packet.
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SPECIAL OFFER—You may select any four of the above varieties of Pansies, priced at 15 cents per packet, for 50 cents. Four 15 cent packets for 50 cents. Over 1,000 seeds contained in any four packets, as all varieties of Pansies on this page are made up in packets of 300 seeds each.

BEDDING PANSIES IN SEPARATE COLORS
Each color 5 cents per packet, or four packets for 15 cts.
Black, White, Brown, Purple Light Blue,
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Good Mixed, all colors, 5 cents per packet.

#### SELECT SWEET PEAS

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Eckford's Finest Mixture—Large-flowering varieties in endless combination of colors. Price, 5 cents per packet; 10
cents per ounce; 50 cents per pound.
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Splendens—Bright scarlet. Price, 10 cents per packet.

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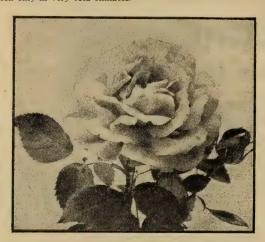
Holborn Glory—Rich colors with white eye. Price, 10 cts. per packet.

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Single Sweet Mixed—All shades mixed. Price, 5 cents per packet.

WILD CUCUMBER
Rapid growing climber. Seed must be sown in the fall.
Price, 5 cents per packet.

# Hardy Hybrid Perpetual Roses FOR GENERAL PLANTING

These are the tall-growing, superb June Roses, with a profusion of large, bright-colored and highly scented flowers during that month. If cut back judiciously when these flowers fade, successive stems of good flowers will follow at intervals all summer. They require rich soil, full sun and good cultivation in order to produce the grand flowers, with sturdy four to five foot stems, that Rose lovers exult over. Light pruning gives more and smaller flowers on shorter stems. All very hardy and vigorous, requiring protections. tion only in very cold climates.



Anna de Diesbach

Hardy Pink Rose ANNA DE DIESBACH—(Glory of Paris) Brilliant pink, sometimes shaded with bright maroon; long, pointed buds, and large, finely formed, compact flowers. Price, 15 cents each, three for 40 cents; large two-year-old plants, 30 cents each, three for 80 cents.

MAGNA CHARTA—A splendid Rose, extra large, very double; color clear rosy-red, beautifully flushed with velvet-crimson; flowers very fragrant. Price, 15 cents each, three for 40 cents; large two-year-old plants, 30 cents each, three for 40 cents; large two-year-old plants, 30 cents each, three for 30 cents.

MARIE BAUMAN—Very productive; flowers of exquisite form and fragrance; color, crimson-vermilion suffused with carmine; large and full. Price, 15 cents each, three for \$1.00.

JUBILEE—A very beautiful and satisfactory Rose, large, full flowers, bright, flashing red, shading to velvety-crimson; good bloomer, very fragrant. Price, 20 cents each, three for 50 cents; two-year-old plants, 35 cents each, three for \$1.00.

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CLIO—We have in this variety probably the most beautiful hardy Rose grown. Flowers very large, color flesh shaded in center to rosy-pink. Price, strong one-year-old plants, own roots, 20 cents each, three for 50 cents; two-year-old, heavy plants, 40 cents each, six for \$2.00.

MADAME PLANTIER—Among all pure white Roses specially recommended for cemetery planting, there are few finer than Madame Plantier. It is one of the hardiest of all hardy Roses, and does not winter-kill even in the coldest and most exposed localities. It is a strong, vigorous grower, sure to be covered with lovely-snow-white flowers every season. Price, strong plants, 10 cents each, three for 25 cents; two-year-old bushes, 20 cents each.

MARGARET DICKSON—The flower is of magnificent form; the color is a pure waxy-white with a tinge of pink; petals are very large, well-shaped and of great substance. It is a strong, vigorous grower, with fine foliage, a free bloomer. Price, 20 cents each; two-year size, 35 cents each.

GENERAL JACQUEMINOT—A rich velvety-crimson, changing to scarlet-crimson. A magnificent Rose, equally beautiful in the bud state or open. This is the best known of all Hybrid Perpetuals, and is without a rival in fragrance and richness of color. Price, 15 cents each; large two-year-old plants, 35 cents each.

GLOIRE L'EXPOSITION DE BRUXELLES-It is a genuine hardy everblooming Rose, and stands without an equal. The color is a rich velvety-crimson. We guarantee all the plants we send out to be true to the name. Price, 20 cents

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ROGER LAMBELIN—The finest variegated Rose in existence. One of the most remarkable Roses yet offered. The petals are irregular on the edges, like a double Petunia; the color is glowing crimson throughout, except the edges of the petals, which are all distinctly marked with a white band. Price, 15 cents each, three for 40 cents; large two-year-old plants, 40 cents each.

MRS. JOHN LAING-An elegant new constant-blooming Hybrid Perpetual Rose; color a clear, bright shell-pink, exquisitely shaded; the buds are long and pointed. Price, 15 cents each; large two-year-old plants, 40 cents each.

PAUL NEYRON—Deep, shining rose, very fresh and pretty; it is, moreover, a good strong grower, with nice, almost thornless stems, which often attain six to seven feet in a single season. Price, 15 cents each; large two-year-old plants, 35 cents each.

GLOIRE LYONAISE—It makes a strong, upright bush, with beautiful deep green foliage; is practically thornless. The open flower is enormous, full, deep and double; color rich creamy-white, passing when open to a pale shade of salmon-yellow, deepest at the center. Price, 15 cents each; two-year-old plants, 35 cents each, three for \$1.00.

MADAME MASSON—The flowers are large, full and delight-fully perfumed; color bright, rich crimson. Price, 15 cents each, three for 40 cents, postpaid; two-year size, 35 cents each, three for \$1.00.

DINSMORE—A grand Rose, constant blooming; color rich crimson-scarlet. Price, 15 cents each, three for 40 cents; two-year-old plants, 35 cents each, three for \$1.00.

GIANT OF BATTLES—The color is a most intense glowing red; the flowers are very large, perfectly double. Price, 15 cents each; two-year-old plants, 40 cents each.

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CAPTAIN HAYWARD—(Hybrid Perpetual.) The strongest growing Hybrid Perpetual Rose. Color richest crimson-scarlet; both bud and flower are perfect. Price, strong one-year-old plants, 20 cents each, three for 50 cents; two-year-old plants, 40 cents each, three for \$1.00.

BALL OF SNOW—Pure snowy-white, sometimes faintly tinged with pale rose; flowers medium size, full and fragrant; blooms the first year and all the season. Price, 15 cents each; two-year size, 30 cents each.

DUC DE ROHAN-One of the darkest colored Roses;

DUG DE ROHAN—One of the darkest colored Roses; very dark velvety crimson, changing to intense maroon. Price, 15 cents each; two-year-old plants, 35 cents each.

DUKE OF EDINBURGH—Bright scarlet-crimson, shaded maroon; sturdy, compact growth. Price, 15 cents each; two-year-old plants, 35 cents each.

FRAU KARL DRUSCHKI—The grand new snow-white Hardy Hybrid Perpetual Rose. This magnificent variety is undoubtedly one of the grandest hardy pure white Roses ever introduced. Makes splendid buds and immense flowers, four to five inches across. Recommended by the leading Rose growers of this country and Europe as the most beautiful and satisfactory snow-white hardy perpetual Rose ever produced. Price, strong one-year plants, 20 cents each, postpaid; two-year plants, heavy, 40 cents each.

SPECIAL OFFER No. 133—Twelve Hybrid Perpetual Roses, all distinct varieties, with a good assortment of color (enough to make a large bed and one that will last for many years without replanting), for \$1.00, postpaid; the full set of two-year-old plants for \$2.25, our selection of variety.

#### - IT IS BEST TO PROTECT ALL ROSES -

Although we try to carefully explain in the introduction to each family or class whether the Roses in that class are hardy or not, the safest way is to protect all your Roses, for it will do no harm to the hardiest, and where manure is used as a covering it also serves the purpose as a fertilizer.

After the leaves have fallen, give the beds a covering of manure, straw, cedar boughs, corn fodder, leaves or street sweepings, enough to keep the roots from freezing, but still not to smother the plants. In very cold localities it sometimes pays to wrap the entire bushes in straw or bend them down to the ground and fasten them to stakes driven for the purpose; or cover with boards, as the principal object is to keep the plants dry and from the freezing and thawing at times of storms and sleet and rain. But the matter of protection is not such a serious problem these days, when good new Rose plants can be obtained at a very low price. Many people feel that the blossoms produced the first season are worth many times the cost of the plants, and so buy new ones each year.

## Our Show Window Collection 12 HARDY EVER=BLOOMING ROSES FOR FIFTY CENTS

LARGE, TWO-YEAR-OLD PLANTS, \$2.00

We have combined in this new collection only such kinds as bloom freely. No change will be made in the collection. It must be ordered complete.



White Maman Cochet

BRIDESMAID—Fine, large, full flowers, delightfully teascented, rose-pink, with crimson shading; makes elegant buds.

**BLUMENSCHMIDT**—(Hybrid Tea.) Pure citron-yellow, outer petals edged tender rose, a sport from Franzisca Kruger, which it resembles in form, and which has a more vigorous growth. Winner of three

first premiums.

HERMOSA, The Old Favorite—Everybody knows this famous variety. As hardy as an oak, and always covered with its elegant clear pink blooms.

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MRS. B. CANT—A fine garden Rose of round, full form and solid, even color; clear bright rosy-pink; large size, perfectly double and full, and quite fragrant.

BALDUIN—(Hybrid Tea.) Color is unique, a very soft, intense carmine-crimson with deeper shades in the depth of the petals; in color with the Armorea Particle Property of the petals.

much like American Beauty.

CLOTHILDE SOUPERT—It is a strong, vigorous grower. The flowers are borne in sprays, and the color blends from a soft shell-pink to a

WHITE MAMAN COCHET—Like its parent, the growth is vigorous, with rich, healthy foliage, producing large, fine flowers of the purest

MAMAN COCHET-The extra large flowers are produced on tems, very double, delicate color and rich fragrance. The color is

PELLE DES JARDINS—Magnificent yellow Tea Rose; the color is clear goiden-yellow, an indescribably rich and beautiful shade, the flowers are extra large, full, globular form, with great depth and

substance.

MARIE LAMBERT, OR WHITE HERMOSA—Pure white. It has been called the White Hermosa, as it resembles Hermosa in form and freedom of bloom, and is quite as valuable.

BRIDE—One of the best pure white ever-blooming Roses. Extra large buds and flowers of exquisite form and delightful fragrance.

PRINCESS SAGAN—The flowers of this variety are the richest crimson of any Rose in our collection, a single bud or blossom will catch the eye at a great distance, so brilliant is the color.

## NOVELTIES AND LATE INTRODUCTIONS IN ROSES

#### Rhea Reid

Rose-cerise in summer, "Richmond red" in winter. Blooms are large, elegant and numerous, opening perfectly during the winter. Price, 20 cents each; strong two-year-old plants, 40 cents each.

#### White Killarney

A duplicate of the lovely pink Killarney, except that this variety is white as snow, and displays larger flowers of greater petalage. Price, 35 cents each; two-year-old plants, 60

#### Dean Hole

(Hybrid Tea.) The flowers of the Rose Dean Hole are large, of great substance and fine form; color silvery-carmine shaded salmon, absolutely distinct and by far the finest in its way of color. Price, 40 cents each; two-year-old plants, 60 cents

#### Killarney

Queen of the Irish Roses, of exquisite form and fragrance. Bright carmine-pink, marbled in creamy-white, with petals large and durable; the buds extremely long. Price, 20 cents each; two-year-old plants, 40 cents each.

#### Mme. Melanie Soupert

(Hybrid Tea.) A good grower, quickly forming a well-branched bush, foliage bronzy-green, flowers very large, almost full and globular; immense cupped petals; color golden-yellow suffused bright pink. An extraordinarily fine rose. Price, 25 cents each; three for 00 cents, postpaid; strong two-year-old plants, 200 ants each. old plants, 00 cents each.

#### Tausendschon

(Thousand Beauties.) A rapid growing, almost thornless, climber of exceptional value and attractiveness. Its innumerable flower clusters show every shade of pink, rose and crimson, with white and yellow variegations—substantiating its popular name of "Thousand Beauties." Price, three for 50 cents; two-year-old plants, 50 cents each.

#### Madame Jenny Guillimot

Buds long and pointed, deep saffron-yellow, opening canary with dark golden shadings; blooms large, petals immense; opens very freely; a fine grower; exquisitely beautiful. Price, strong one-year plants, 20 cents each, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 40 cents each.

#### Betty

A charming new Irish Rose of good constitution and habit, radiant with an unusual color—the "ruddy gold" tone of golden-yellow over-spreading coppery-rose. Price, 20 cents each; three for 50 cents.

#### Catharine Zeimet

NEW DOUBLE WHITE BABY RAMBLER—This is surely a beauty and a great addition to the Baby Ramblers. It grows to a height of twenty inches, and produces double pure white flowers in abundance. It has a fragrance similar to Hyacinths. Of free, compact growth and very attractive. Produces a sheet of white color. Price, 20 cents each; three for 50 cents, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 40 cents each; three for \$1.00.

## th CENTURY of 20 Roses for \$1.00 OUR SELECTION OF VARIETY.

These Roses are all choice Varieties and a good assortment of color. They are suitable for flowering in pots in the house during winter, and then in spring plant out in the garden, where they will continue to bloom all summer.

# THE FAMOUS RAMBLER ROSES

All Varieties. Different Colors. Entirely Hardy. Excellent for Porches, Verandas, Trellises, Hedges, Etc. CRIMSON RAMBLER PHILADELPHIA

The Most Magnificent Hardy Crimson Climbing Rose in Existence

SPLENDID flowers, two and one-half inches across, perfectly double. Borne in grand clusters, completely covering the whole bush. Color pure, deep, rich crimson, far brighter and more intense than the old "Crimson Rambler," which has heretofore been the standard for brilliant color. The PHILADELPHIA does not fade, bleach or wash out, but holds its bright, dazzling color to the last, which adds greatly to its value. Has handsome foliage; does not mildew, and is a most atundant bloomer. Undoubtedly the brightest and best of all Hardy Crimson Climbing Roses yet introduced; unequaled for covering porches, trellises, screens, fences, etc. Is a strong, quick grower, perfectly hardy, needs no winter protection and bears "bushels of Roses" every season without attention. The "Philadelphia" is the finest Hardy Crimson Climbing Rose yet produced. Price, strong one-year-old plants, 15 cents each; two for 25 cents; six for 70 cents, postpaid; strong two-year-old plants, 25 cents each; two for 45 cents; six for \$1.15. Extra large, field-grown plants, 50 cents each; two for 90 cents; six for \$2.50; \$4.50 per dozen; by express only.

SPECIAL OFFER No. 124
One each of the Rambler Roses, Philadelphia, Popular Crimson, Yellow and Dorothy Perkins in the one-year size for 50 cents, postpaid. Or in strong two-year-old plants for 90 cents.

THE POPULAR CRIMSON RAMBLER—The plant is of a very vigorous growth, making shoots from eight to ten feet during the season, rendering it a charming pillar Rose. It is also magnificent in bush form; color is the brightest crimson, which remains undimmed to the end. The flowers are produced in great pyramidal panicles, or trusses, each carrying from thirty to forty blooms, the individual flowers measuring about one to one and one-half inches in diameter. The foliage is a bright green and glossy, and contrasts finely with the bright crimson of the flowers. Price, 15 cents each; four for 50 cents; \$1.35 per dozen, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 25 cents each; \$2.00 per dozen; large three-year-old plants, field grown, with canes three to five feet, 50 cents each, by express only; six for \$2.50; \$4.50 per doz. YELLOW RAMBLER—The flowers are borne in immense clusters, after the same manner as the Crimson Rambler. The color is a decided yellow. Many Roses which are described as yellow have really only a creamy tinge, but the Yellow Rambler is clear, decided yellow. The flowers are very sweet-scented. Price, 15 cents each; four for 50 cents; \$1.35 per dozen, postpaid; large two-year-old plants, 25 cents each; \$2.00 per dozen.

SHELL-PINK RAMBLER ROSE LADY GAY—This new variety, a seedling from the popular Crimson Rambler, closely resembles it in habit of growth and general effect. Flowers are of a delicate cherry-pink, which gradually changes to a soft-tinted white. The plant is a strong, vigorous grower, with profuse, glossy, deep green foliage. Price, 15 cents each; four for 50 cents; \$1.35 per dozen, postpaid; large two-year-old plants 25 cents each; \$2.00 per dozen.

PINK RAMBLER (Euphrosyne)—What is said of White Rambler applies equally to this except the color of the flowers is pure shiny rose—the partially open buds being bright, light carmine. Price, 15 cents each; four for 50 cents; \$1.35 per dozen, postpaid; large two-year-old plants, 25 cents each; \$2.00 per dozen. THE POPULAR CRIMSON RAMBLER-The plant is of a

THE BEAUTIFUL NEW WHITE RAMBLER (Thalia)—Of German origin, and in habit of growth, foliage, manner of blooming, form of flowers and hardiness identical with Crimson Rambler. Flowers are pure snow-white and sweetly scented Price, 15 cents each; four for 50 cents; \$1.35 per dozen, postpaid; strong two-year-old plants, 30 cents each; three for 85 cents; \$2.25 per dozen, postpaid.

DOROTHY PERKINS—Beautiful shell-pink. A rapid grower, frequently developing shoots from ten to fifteen feet long in one search. Hardy withstanding the severest winters with-

one season. Hardy, withstanding the severest winters without injury. Blooms in clusters like Crimson Rambler, but the flowers are more double and large. Price, 15 cents each; four for 50 cents; \$1.35 per dozen, postpaid; large two-year-old plants, 25 cents each; \$2.00 per dozen.

SPECIAL OFFER No. 125
One each of the Seven Eambler Roses on this page in the one-year size for 90 cents, postpaid. In two-year-old plants for \$1.50.



Baby Rambler

The Best Red Bedding Rose of a Century Produces a Continuous Mass of Bloom

BABY RAMBLER (Madam Norbert Levavasseur) Dwarf, Hardy, Perpetual-Flowering Crimson Rambler.

Dwarf, Hardy, Perpetual-Flowering Crimson Rambler.

The descriptive name of this extremely valuable new Rose, "Dwarf Crimson Rambler," seems a misnomer, yet nothing is more appropriate, for the fame of "Crimson Rambler" properly belongs to it. It forms compact bushes about two feet high when fully grown, and is fully covered with clusters of its rich crimson-red flowers throughout the season. It begins to bloom when in small pots and is practically never out of bloom for the balance of the season. Perfectly hardy, it requires no winter care, and should improve each year with good culture. The coloring is brighter and more persistent than in its parent, the "Crimson Rambler," of which it is a seedling. The size of the clusters and the number of flowers in each are the marvel of all beholders. Its use is varied so as to render it invaluable. As a bedding variety, to make a low, attractive hedge, to border a walk, for planting in cemeteries, or for growing in pots in the house, it stands alone and must find its way everywhere Remember it is hardy and perpetual flowering. Price, 15c each, two for 25c; \$1.00 per dozen, postpaid; two-year old plants, 35c each; three for 90c; \$2.50 per dozen, \*

## BEAUTIFUL

The bold, majestic, graceful foliage of Palms lends a grandeur and magnificence that cannot be obtained by any other class of plants, and there is nothing so satisfactory for home decoration for the conservatory, hall or living room. Almost anyone can succeed with the varieties offered on this page. They are of easy culture, thriving best in a light, airy room and watered moderately and the leaves sponged with water every week or so. Complete directions for handling plants under above heading will be found in McGregor's Guide to Floriculture, free with an order amounting to \$2.00.



The Cycas makes a magnificent specimen plant, and is one of the most valuable plants grown for the decoration of the lawn or house. Their heavy, glossy, deep green fronds resist alike the gas, dust and cold to which decorative plants are frequently exposed. Price, nice, small, shapely plants, 35, 50 and 75 cents; six to eight leaves, \$1.00 each; eight to ten leaves, \$1.50; ten to twelve leaves, \$2.00. Bulbs increase in size each year and leaves double in size and number. Cycas can be sent by express only.

ARECA LUTESCENS

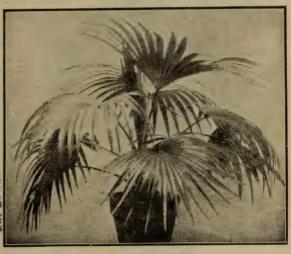
One of the most valuable and beautiful Palms. Its dark, glossy green leaves are gracefully curved on slender stems, and the entire foliage is gracefully disposed; the trunk and stems are golden-yellow. Price, nice plants, twelve to fifteen inches high, 35 cents; large specimen plants, twenty-six to twenty-eight inches high, \$1.75 each.

KENTIA FOSTERIANA

This is one of the finest pot plants of any of the Palm family. The leaves are a deep, glossy green, fan-shaped, split deeply into segments. Scarcely has its equal. Price, nice plants, five and six leaves, fifteen inches high, 50 cents each; stronger plants, five and six leaves, eighteen to twenty inches high, 75 cents each; large specimen plants, thirty to thirty-six inches high, \$1.75 each.



KENTIA BELMOREANA This variety is one of the best in its class; graceful habit, bright green foliage gracefully disposed. As a decorative plant for the window, dinner table or conservatory it scarcely has an equal. Price, nice bushy plants five and six leaves, twelve inches high, 35c each; larger size, fifteen to eighteen inches high, 60c each; good specimen plants, \$1.00 each, by express only.



#### LATANIA BORBONICA

Leaves large, fan-shaped, of a very cheerful green color; plant of hardy constitution and adapted to all decorative purposes within or without doors. Nice young plants, 10 cents each; large plants, 20, 30 and 50 cents each; large specimen plants, \$1.00, by express.

COCOS WEDDELLIANA

One of the most elegant and graceful smaller Palms. Its slander, erect stem is freely furnished with graceful arching leaves of a rich green color. The Cocos are admirable for Fern dishes, as they are of slow growth and maintain their beauty for a long time. Price, nice bushy plants, eight to ten inches high, 35 cents each; large specimen plants, twenty-four inches high, \$2.00 each, by express only.

#### PHOENIX ROEBELINI

(Grand Novelty)

A new Palm is always interesting, but when the new-comer is easily the most graceful and withal the hardiest, it is little short of sensa-tional. Phoenix Roebelini has the grace and lightness of Cocos Weddelliana, but it is more robust in growth and has tenfold the foliage of that fine variety. Price, nice fourinch pot plants, 50 cents each; five-inch pot plants, \$1.00 each.



#### PANDANUS UTILIS

As an ornament for the window, its glossy, dark green, ser-rated foliage renders it unusally attractive, while as a vase plant or single specimen in greenhouse or conservatory, it cannot be surpassed. Price, nice plants out of six-inch pots, 75c each.

#### PHOENIX RECLINATA

A fine decorative Palm, with long, pointed leaves, similar to Canariensis; one of the finest vase plants, particularly for outdoor decoration. It is of very robust habit, and is very easily grown. Price, nice small plants, 20c each; three for 50c.

# McGREGOR BROS CO PLANT DEPARTMENT

## Ferns for the Fern Dish or Ferneries

#### The Beautiful Moss Fern, Selaginella Emilliana

A new, upright-growing moss, with numerous feathery stems branching from the base and forming a dense tuft. Well grown plants attain twelve to eighteen inches in height. We know of no moss superior to it. We put this moss in with the pages of Ferns as the character is very much like the Ferns and is used with them in ferneries. Price, 10 cents each.

#### Pteris Tremula

(Shaking Fern.) The foliage of the Pteris varieties is large, very graceful. The slightest movement of the air shakes the leaves of this kind, which we recommend more than any other for house culture, etc. Keep the leaves from dust and sprinkle slightly every warm day. Price, 10 cents each; \$1.00 per dozen.

#### Onychium Japonicum

A very beautiful Fern, having long, graceful fronds. The wiry texture of the leaf makes it keep a long time; very useful to cut for vases, etc. Price, 10 cents each; \$1.00 per dozen; large size, 25 cents.

#### The Beautiful Silver Fern, Pteris Argyrea

A very showy Fern, with variegated foliage; fronds large, light green, with broad band of silver-white down the center of each. Very distinct. Price, 15 cents each; \$1.50 per dozen.

#### Aspidium Tsussimense

A strong but dwarf and graceful habit; of good color and of better keeping quality an any other Fern we know. A clear, good grower and very ornamental **Price**, than any other Fern we know. A 10 cents each; \$1.00 per dozen.

#### Cyrtomium Falcatum

(Holly Fern)

We consider this one of the finest Ferns in cultivation to grow into specimen plants. The leaf is a rich, specimen plants. The leaf is a rich, glossy green, and each leaflet is about the shape and size of a Rose leaf. The fronds are fine for cutting on account of their lasting quality. **Price**, 15 cents each; \$1.50 per dozen.

#### Pteris Cretica Mayii

A crested form of Pteris Cretica Albolineata, showing same variega-tions as that variety, but of dwarfer habit. Price, 15 cents each; \$1.50 per dozen.

#### Pteris Victoria

A very pretty variegated leaved variety, compact, strong grower and one of the best for Fern dishes. Price, 15 cents each; \$1.50 per dozen.



Cyrtomium Falcatum





A Fern Dish Collection

## SPECIAL FERN DISH COLLECTION

Collection No. 1-50 Cents, Postpaid.

For a Fern dish five to six inches in diameter, we will send you six Ferns, all different, the kinds most suitable for this



Pteris Argyrea, Silver Fern

# MCGREGOR BROS CO PLANT DEPARTMENT



# Ferns for the Fern Dish

#### Adiantum Cuneatum Grandiceps

A very beautiful form of A. Cuneatum, having long, graceful fronds, with the ends of the fronds developed into bunching tasseled heads. Price, 10 cents each; \$1.00 per dozen.

## Adiantum Venosum

(Maiden Hair Fern)

Very similar to A very beautiful form of A. Cuneatum. Cuneatum Grandiceps, only having a little larger leaf, and Price, 10 cents each; three for 25 cents.



Pteris Wimsetti

(Crested Fern)

A very pretty and useful Fern for specimen or dish. Green leaves
with the ends very peculiarly crested. This Fern is not generally known. It is one of our best varieties for dishes, being a short, compact grower and will stand rough treatment. Price, 15 cents each; \$1.00 per dozen; large, strong plants, 25 cents each.

## DECORATIVE FERNS

These beautiful plants for home decoration vie with the Rubber plants for first place in the esteem of flower lovers. They are finely cut and sometimes oddly shaped. Fronds have a graceful effect produced by few other plants. With practically the same care as given flowering plants they do exceedingly well in the parlor and conservatory. The Ferns of the Pteris family do as well as the Sword Ferns; the best varieties for the house are to be found in the Pteris family. The Nephrolepis family, of which the well-known Boston is a member, has furnished us so many beautiful species of late years and are succeeding so well that this family is steadily growing in popularity. The varieties we list on this page are all recommended for indoor growing in pots as specimens or for ferneries for table decoration. Ferns should be planted in a good light soil with some sand and leaf mold added; see to it that wherever planted they have good drainage.

Nephrolepis Whitmanii

The best of the Crested Ferns. (See cut.) We never sold a Fern that has created so much favorable comment as the Whitmanii. It seems to delight in hot weather and hence seems to be perfectly at home here in the summer. Whitmanii is of dwarfer growth, but equalizes matters by compactness and a wider, stockier shape. Price, nice young plants, 15 cents each; larger plants, 25 and 50 cents each, postpaid. Specimen plants, 75 cents.

#### Nephrolepis Piersoni Elegantissima or Tarrytown

This is a sport from the Pierson Fern, in which the plumy peculiarity of the original form is even more distinctly developed than in the original; the plant is of much more compact habit, growing only one half as tall, but with the fronds nearly twice as wide, making it a much more Ironds nearly twice as wide, making it a much more desirable plant for all purposes. Price, nice young plants, 15 cents each; larger plants, 25 and 50 cents e a c h, postpaid. Specimen plants 75 cents.

Fern Nephrolepis Whitmanii

It is in essence a condensed form of the Boston Fern. The fonds of the plant described average about twenty inches in length and three inches in width at the widest point; the pinnae are very closely set, so that they overlap, making a more finished frond than the parent. Price, nice young plants, 15 cents each; larger size, 25 and 50 cents.

Nephrolepis Scotti

Nephrolepis Exaltata Bostoniensis

(The Boston Fern) This popular Fern has proved one of the best decorative plants of recent introduction. Excellent for making large

specimen plants, also very fine for hanging baskets. Price, nice young plants, 10 cents each; larger plants, 25 and 50 cents each.

Nephrolepsis Piersoni (Ostrich Plume)

(Ostrich Plume)
An entirely new form of the famous Boston Fern. The pinnae subdividing, making miniature fronds which are superimposed on the main fronds, looking as if two or even three were condensed in one. They are graceful beyond description—feathery, plumy, pothing describes they. plumy, nothing describes them plume, nothing describes them better than "Ostrich Plumes," which they very much resemble. Price, nice young plants, 15 cents each; larger plants, 25 and 50 cents.

# Begonia Rex KING OF THE BEGONIAS

We make a specialty of this marvelous family of plants and offer a collection of the mest varieties, including new and rare kinds that cannot be had elsewhere. They require light soil composed of rich loam, loose woods earth and sharp sand. They like a moist, warm atmosphere, and should be kept shaded during the summer. Do not allow the sun to strike the leaves when wet, or do not over-water. Be sure to try a few of these wonderful plants.

Speculata Quite a novelty in the Rex type. Leaves are in the form of a grape-leaf. Color is a bright green, with a background of chocolate; veins of a light pea-green, the whole leaf spotted with silver. The individual pink blooms are lifted high and spray-like quite clear of the foliage. Price, 10 cents each; three for 25 cents.

Duchess de Brabant This fine variety is very distinct, having a dark greenish-brown center, with a broad silver band enclosed with a dark green edging. The edge of the leaf is smooth and very pointed. Price, 20 cents each; three for 50 cents.

Lord Palmerston One of the best and easiest to grow of all the Rex Begonias.

The leaves are extra large with a dark bronze center, silver band and irregular bronze border, blotched and specked into the silver. Price, 20 cents each; three for 50 cents.

Mme. Treve Very highly colored, especially when the light shines through the leaf, which makes it a bright red. The star-shaped center and the narrow border of the leaf is a reddish-green dotted with silver spots, and the balance silvery-white. Price, 20 cents each; three for 50 cents.

Magnifica This beautiful variety is quite different from any variety we catalogue. The leaves grow to an immense size; color a rich dark chocolate-brown tinted with dark green. This variety is one of the darkest of all the Rex family. Price, 20 cents each; three for 50 cents.

King of Rex One of the most effective of its class, though the oldest variety with a broad silver zone terminating at the point. It is of the very easiest culture. Price, 15 cents each; three for 40 cents.

Roi Ferd Major Extra large leaf of fine silver, small dark starry center, and edge embroidered in the same dark shade. Extra fine. Price, 15 cents each; three for 40 cents.

Ruth Findlay A very short, bushy-growing variety. The most part of the leaf, pointed leaf with a hairy growth on the edges. A very pointed leaf with a hairy growth on the edges. Price, 15 cents each; three for 40 cents.

Lesoudsii This is the finest and largest of any of the Rex family. It is impossible to describe in words the beautiful markings of this magnificent Begonia. It is a cross between Begonia Diadema and a Rex variety, but retains in a marked degree the Rex character. Price, 15 cents each; three for 40 cents. Perle de Paris The entire leaf of this fine variety is of a silver color slightly variety for large specimen plants. Price, 15 cents each.

Rubrum The entire leaf has a pinkish metallic luster, which makes it one of the most attractive varieties. The leaf is very large, with a smooth edge, and the plant is a vigorous grower. Price, 15 cents each; three for 40 cents.

SPECIAL OFFER No. 150—A Special Bargain Offer of Four fine varieties, all different and distinct, selected from the above varieties, for 50 cents.

#### Bertha McGregor

Bertha McGregor
This new Begonia is
known to be and acknowledged by all the
leading Begonia growers
of the United States to
be the best all round
Begonia in the Rex
family. Leaflongpointed and with six
deep notches. A free,
strong grower, producing foliage in abundance. Price, 25 cents
each.

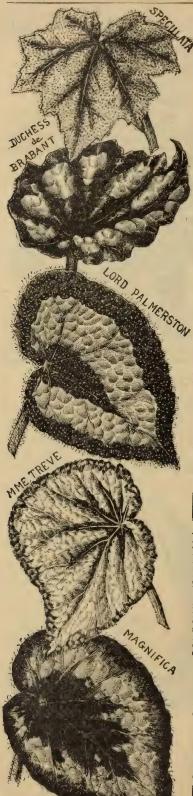
#### Louise Closson

One of the richest and most beautiful of the Rex family. The color-Rex family. The coloris simply magnificent—center of leaf deep bronze center of leaf deep bronze with broad band of silvery-rose, edge bronze, giving the whole leaf a purplish tint. The oddest color of all the Rex. Price, 20 cents



The Giant Leaved Rex Begonia Rubrum

SPECIAL OFFER No. 151—One each of all the Grand Rex Begonias listed on this page for \$2.00.



# WINTER FLOWERING BEGONIAS A beautiful class of plants with free-blooming qualities which makes them especially desirable.



Begonia Rubella

Begonia Rubella A very ornamental Indian species, be-longing to the Ricinifolia section. The flowers are borne on strong stalks one foot above the foliage, in large panicles of pink and white. See illustration. Price, 20 cents each.

Erfordii One of the most prolific bloomers in the Begonia family. It is continually covered with rosy-salmon flowers. A fine grower; it has no equal as a house plant. Price, 10 cents each; three for 25 cents.

Thurstoni (New Begonia.) Has bright red foliage and veining underneath the leaves, and bright metallic green, shading to red, in the younger growth on top. Smooth glossy leaves and red stems. The flowers are a beautiful deep pink in bud, but when expanded become a beautiful shell-pink.

Price, 15 cents each.

Purity The most attractive of all the white-flowering Begonias, being a mass of waxy-white flowers both summer and winter. Its growth is dwarf and compact, making it an excellent pot plant. Price, 10 cents each; three for 25

Metallica A shrubby variety, good grower and free bloom-er; leaves triangular; under side of leaf and stem hairy; the surface of a lustrous metallic or bronze color veined darker; flowers white. Price, 15 cents each.

rgentea Guttata

Has silvery blotches like Alba Picta and the grace and beauty of growth arkings. It produces white flowers in bunches on ends of growth stems.

Price, 15 cents each. Argentea Guttata

Gracilis Luminosa (The Newest Begonia.) Foliage resembles a little that grand old variety Vernon, rich glossy green, often shaded deep bronze. It begins flowering during the summer months, and is a mass of bloom all through the winter. The flowers, when first opening, are a bright cherry, changing to a clear coral-red. It thrives everywhere and is destined to become a leader among all the Begonias. Price, strong plants, 20 cents each; three for 50 cents.

Begonia President Carnot

A remarkably stronggrowing variety, of stiff, upright habit; foliage large, and somewhat in style of Begonia Rubra, but more than twice as large; upper side deep green, under side purplish-red, flowers beautiful coral-red, in large, pendent panicles.

Price, 15 cents each.

Sanguinea Crimson-Leaved Begonia. A showy variety, with very large leaves, the upper side of which is a rich olive, the under side crimson, and of a peculiar leather-like substance; dainty flowers, light rose to white. Price, 15

Coral Begonia (Sandersonii). One of the best flowering Begonias. The flowers are a scarlet shade of crimson, borne in profusion for months at a time; leaves slightly edged with scarlet. Price, 15 cents each.

Begonia Vernon

Foliage rich glossy-green, often shaded deep bronze; flowers at first opening open flower. Price, 15 cents each.

Alba Picta Long, slender, lance-shaped leaves on short stems, thickly studded with silvery-white.

Price, 10 cents each.

McBethii Foliage fern-like, panicles of pure white flowers, produced in the greatest profusion. It is the machine popular bloomer of the Begonias. Price, 15 cents each.

Robusta The flower is composed of two wide and two narrow petals; the wide ones are bright rose, the petals are almost pure white, a distinct pink stripe in the center of each enlivened with golden anthers. Price, 10 cents each.

Marguerite Leaves bronzy-green, somewhat resembling Metallica. Large trusses of light rose-colored flowers freely produced. Price, 10 cents each.

Alba Perfecta Grandiflora The foliage resembles Rubra in shape, but is a lighter green. It is a pure white flowering Begonia of much merit. Try it. Price, 10 cents each.

Begonia Rubra One of the finest Begonias in cultivation.

Its dark, glossy green leaves, combined with its free-flowering habit, make it one of the very best plants for house or conservatory decoration. The flowers are plants for house or conservatory decoration scarlet-rose color Price, 15 cents each.



Begonia Rubra

BEGONIA COLLECTION NUMBER EIGHT EIGHT BEGONIAS FOR FIFTY CENTS

We will send postpaid 8 Ever-Blooming Flowering Begonias (our selection of varieties) for 50 cents. These will all be choice varieties, and ones that we know will give satisfaction. Remember, only 50 cents.

## McGREGOR'S BEST WINTER FLOWERING GERANIUMS

On this and the following page we offer the best Geraniums—new and old—of the hundreds of varieties now in commerce. These Geraniums are the choicest in the world, having been thoroughly tested and found to possess distinct merit. To be appreciated these superb flowers must be seen. They are beautiful beyond description, the richest solid colors and most gorgeous variegated varieties being included in the various lists. Such a wonderful improvement is shown in the Geraniums of recent introduction that it is difficult to compare them with the old-fashioned Geranium of many years ago. For ease of culture, brilliant and attractive covering, general usefulness and diversified types the Geranium is unexcelled.



# Francis Perkins FRANCIS PERKINS—The plant is an extra strong, vigorous grower, throwing out tall spikes of large, well-formed flowers of a bright pink color. JEAN VIAUD—Very large semi-double blooms borne in large trusses well above the foliage; individual floret large, color bright rosy-pink, with distinct white blotch in the center; habit dwarf

Color deep rosy-scarlet, shading into pure scarlet.

## The Twelve Finest DOUBLE GERANIUMS For Winter Flowering

Price, 10 Cents Each; Any Six for 50 Cents; the Set of Twelve for \$1.00

ALPHONSE RICARD—A strong grower, dwarf and branching, and producing flowers in great masses. Both floret and trusses are of enormous size, single or slightly doubled, and color a brilliant shade of orange-red.

MARQUIS DE MONTMORT—This grand new variety is quite a distinct nov-ty. Its color is of a deep, brilliant purple, a very novel and striking shade; fine large florets and trusses

BEAUTE POITEVINE—It is very dwarf and compact and of a very branching habit. The color is unique and changeable, some trusses being of a deep rosysalmon, streaked and veined carmine, with deep magenta color, others with the outer petals almost a pearly-white, with carmine color.

COUNTESS DE HARCOURT-Double Bruant, pure snowwhite florets; stands the sun well.

S. A. NUTT-Rich dark crimson; the flowers are of perfect shape and large size.

MADAME LOUISE ABBENIA—Plant free blooming, very large trusses as well as large individual flowers. The color is very attractive, a soft shell-pink on the edges, shading to a salmon-pink in the center. This is quite a novelty, and is worthy of all who want a fine new Geranium.

MADAME CHAROTTE—A soft salmon, one shade deeper than Single Geranium Dr. Van Dyke. This is a Geranium of unusual merit, and one that will have a big sale this year. A very strong grower.

SPECIAL OFFER No. 155—We have a great many more Geraniums in fine varieties, more than our limited space will allow us to describe. We will send Twenty-Five Geraniums, all different (our selection of variety), for \$1.50. This is an offer you should take advantage of, and see the many striking colors.

## SINGLE GERANIUMS FOR WINTER FLOWERING

The Eight Best Single Geraniums to Date-Price, 15 cents each; any four for 50 cents; the eight for 90 cents,

LA SOLIEL—A strong grower with heavy foliage; color rich scarlet, very double; one of the best double scarlet bedding Geraniums.

BUCKNER-Flowers purest white. Very free flowering; one MARQUIS DE CASTELAINE-A giant among Geraniums.

WONDER—The flowers are the most intense, dazzling scarlet, and are borne in trusses of enormous size. As a pot plant or bedding Geranium it has no equal.

GRANVILLE—A fine bedding variety, with large flower trusses. The color is a clear pink. One of the best Geraniums to our knowledge for general use.

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MARGUERITE DE LAYRES—A grand white; plants a mass of white bloom; trusses of the largest size.

DRYDEN—Bright soft crimson, pure white at the base of petals, giving it a large white center; very floriferous; exceptionally clean, healthy and vigorous; foliage slightly zoned.

RICHMOND BEAUTY-Brilliant scarlet-crimson, shading

through delicate violet-rose to a distinct white center.

L'AUBE—Enormous sized trusses, large round florets, pure snow-white, retaining its pureness the entire season in freedom of bloom.

MRS. E. G. HILL—A distinct and pleasing shade of salmon, with light shading to the center. The finest salmon-flowered

Geranium to date.

MADONNA—Trusses are of extraordinary size, of almost Pansy form; the color is a soft light pink, a beautiful and distinct shade.

## Sweet Scented GERANIUMS

Price, 10 cents each; any three for 25 cents.

ROSE—Needs no description. Indispensable in the formation of bouquets. Beautiful pink flowers, borne in clusters.

SKELETON-LEAF ROSE-SCENTED (or Dr. Livingston)

The most popular scented Geranium. It is the same as the Rose in all points, except the leaf is more deeply cut, or fern-like.

BALM—Large leaves, with a very strong fragrance.

LEMON-SCENTED—Small leaves, delightfully lemonscented; one of the most pleasing varieties.

MRS. TAYLOR—Dark green foliage of a peculiar fragrance; flowers are scarlet, shaped like a Pelargonium, and borne in great profusion.

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BROAD-LEAF ROSE—This variety resembles the common Rose Geranium, having a thicker leaf not so deeply cut.

#### PELARGONIUMS

MADAME THIBAUT—White. Flowers 3 inches in diameter, well doubled, blotched and marbled rose, upper petals marked crimson-maroon, white center; immense trusses, undulated petals. Price, 25 cents each; \$2.50 per dozen.

CHAMPION—White delicately shaded blush, small blotch on lower petais, upper feathered maroon and red. Price, 25 cents each; \$2.50 per dozen.

MADAME VIBERT—A splendid flower with black-maroon otches, bordered fiery red, the entire flower edged with rose. blotches, bordered fiery red, the entire flower edged with A good grower. Price, 25 cents each; \$2.50 per dozen.

EVENING STAR—Good habit, very free in bloom, of an intense crimson, blotched in upper petals, with a white throat; most attractive. Price, 25 cents each; \$2.50 per dozen.

Pansy Geranium This new and beautiful Pansy and literally covered with flowers all the time. It requires little or no attention, and is invaluable as a window plant. Colorings and markings extraordinary—light pink, white, dark purple, black, etc. Strong plants, ready to bloom, 25 cents each; two for 40 cents, \$2.25 per dozen, postpaid.

# Fancy = Leaved Ivy and Golden = Bronze GERANIUMS

Silver-Leaf Geranium Mrs. Parker

In this beautiful variety we have the first double-flowering variety in the silver leaved section. Flower is perfectly double and of a clear, bright pink. cents each; \$2.00 per dozen, postpaid.

Golden Tricolor Geranium MRS. POLLOCK—The best and most satisfactory of all the tricolor-foliage Geraniums. It is very distinct in its markings, having a bright bronzy-red zone belted with crimson and edged with golden-yellow. Price, 15 cents each; \$1.50 per dozen.

MADAME SALLEROI—It makes a round, pretty plant, about one foot high and wide; foliage bright green, edged with pure white. Price, 10 cents each; \$1.00 per dozen.

Tricolor Geranium HAPPY THOUGHT-A tricolor Geranium, with very dark green foliage, having a light creamy, almost white center, with a dark zone; flowers bright scarlet.

Price, 15 cents each; \$1.00 per dozen.

Silver-Leaf Geranium WM. LANGGUTH— This new variety is the second double - flowered Geranium in the silver-leaved section. Color, bright scarlet. Foliage is beautiful, broadly marked with silvery-white. **Price**. 20 cents each; \$2.00 per dozen.

Geranium Mrs. Parker

MOUNTAIN OF SNOW—Leaf bright green with a broad silvery-white margin; flowers scarlet. Price, 15 cents each; two for 25 cents.

SPECIAL OFFER No. 160 — The Six Fancy-Leaved Geraniums as described above, postpaid for 75 cents.

Golden-Bronze Geraniums

Price, 10 cents each; any three for 25 cents; any seven for \$1.00, postpaid.

BRONZE BEDDER—Foliage bright golden-yellow, with scarlet blos-

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BLACK HAWK—Golden-yellow, with broad red zone; red flowers.

BISMARCK—Foliage yellowish-green, with narrow zone of deep chocate; flowers salmon, tipped white.

CRYSTAL PALACE GEM—Broad golden-yellow margin, with a cenal disc of green; dwarf and free.

EXQUISITE—Edges variegated; flowers salmon.

FANNY—Golden foliage, peach-colored blossoms.

**CORINNE**—A clear golden-yellow foliage, with elegant zone double, fiery, orange-colored flowers.

#### COLORED IVY GERANIUMS my two for 25 cents, or the eight for 90 cents. BEAUTIFULLY Price, 15 cents each; any two for 25

MAGICIAN-Flowers orange-scarlet, and foliage as fine as on some of the golden tricolor.

MARSHAL McMAHON — Golden-yellow, with a zone of dark chocolate; fine large foliage; a splendid bedder.

Golden Tricolor Geranium Mrs. Pollock

New Double White Ivy Geranium JOAN OF ARC—
Flowers perfectly double and white as snow, and literally cover
the plant when in full bloom.
New Ivy Geranium ACHIEVEMENT—Has the habit and
texture of the Zonal with the form of Ivy foliage and also of the
Ivy bloom. Color pure self-rose with white eye.
The Splendid New Ivy Geranium MRS. HAWLEY—The

flowers are large, in fine trusses, on long stems.

FLOURENS—Flowers very large and double; petals large, salmon, heavily shaded rose.

LA ROSAIRE-Flowers very large, perfectly double, making a lovely rosette in shape; delicate pink shade.

INCOMPARABLE—Trusses very large, florets immense, very regular in form; quite full; color is an exquisite shade of rosy-

P. CROZY—A grand hybrid between the Zonals and Ivies; color soft, bright scarlet.

**REMARKABLE**—Florets 2½ inches in trusses six inches across; color a deep, bright pink.

#### WINTER - BLOOMING CHRYSANTHEMUMS

If it were generally known that Chrysanthemums are as easily grown and as satisfactory for winter culture indoors as Carnations they would become immensely popular. Use pots or boxes not less than five inches across. Use rich soil. For two weeks at least pinch the tops, also the lower branches of plants to form desired, and do not allow flowers to form until the plant is healthy and sturdy. Keep in fairly cool temperature. Water moderately. Give partial sunshine. Try a few plants. Price, 10 cents each; six for 50 cents. Complete set of twelve varieties, \$1.00 postpaid.

WM. FALCONER (Ostrich Plume)-A soft, delicate blush,

shading almost to white.

CLEMENTINE TOUSET—Color a glistening white, sometimes tinted pearl. Petals incurved and very broad. Exceptionally easy grown, making it a fine variety for the amateur.

MRS. COOMBES—Color beautiful rose-pink, resembling Viviand Morel in color and also in style, but the petals are broader. It is a fine dwarf grower.

MRS. GEO. F. BAER (Yellow Jerome Jones)—Flowers very large, with incurved petals, making them nearly globular in form. A pure golden-yellow, tinted with bronze on under side of petal.

BLACK HAWK—The flowers are of massive size, reflexed with broad, stiff petals; deep velvety-crimson, with no shade of brown or chestout.

A. J. BALFOUR—A grand Japanese variety. Color rosepink, quite distinct, broad petals of great substance; nothing compared with it in color.

LAVENDER QUEEN—An immense solid flower, very full and compact, outer petals reflexed, center petals erect, forming a flower of great depth. It is a lovely color, soft silvery lavender-pink, decidedly distinct from any other pink.

DR. ENGUEHARD—One of the leading pink varieties. Color a deep, clear pink, much darker shade than any other listed. Incurved, with broad petals, the lower ones drooping as the center opens. An exceedingly strong grower.

MLLE. JEANNE NONLY—Resembles that popular variety, Timothy Eaton. Color a pure snow-white; a dwarf grower, with heavy foliage.

heavy foliage.

OCTOBER FROST—A pure white, with broad, slightly incurved petals. Strong grower, with heavy foliage, and one of the earliest to flower.

OCTOBER SUNSHINE—This fine variety eclipses all other early flowering golden-yellows; the petals are incurved.

SUNBURST—Japanese incurved. The base of the petals is an intense yellow, gradually shading to pale yellow at the tips.

HARDY POMPONE CHRYSANTHEMUMS Four colors in Red, White, Pink and Yellow. Price, 15 cents each; any three for 35 cents; the four for 40 cents.



## ~ CARNATIONS ~

The Greatest of All Winter Flowers

A FINE SELECTION IN TWELVE NEWEST AND BEST VARI-ETIES OF EVER-BLOOMING CARNATIONS

NICE FIELD GROWN PLANTS 15 CENTS EACH

ENCHANTRESS—A very pleasing shade of light pink, deepening towards the center. When fully developed, over four inches in diameter; very attractive and fine form; stem is strong and stiff; both out of doors and in the house the growth is ideal; very healthy and of vigor-

WHITE ENCHANTRESS—The purest white sport from the variety "Enchantress," It is absolutely pure white in color and will prove a most popular variety.

BEACON—It is of fine scarlet variety, has made a record of earliness and freedom of bloom that places it in front of the class of "reds." The color is brilliant and a variety of strong, sturdy growth; a very free-

blooming sort.

BOSE-PINK ENCHANTRESS—A rose-colored variety from the pink sort "Enchantress." It retains every good quality of its parent and will soon prove as popular. It is one of the most valuable commer-

cial sorts.

ARISTOCRAT—Deep pink, extra long stems and large flowers. A strikingly handsome and very valuable new sort.

BOSTON MARKET—This new Carnation has attracted more attention than any other White Carnation yet introduced. It is a strong grower, with very large white flowers, highly perfumed.

SUNBEAM—Strong grower and free-flowering; long, strong stem; flowers three inches in diameter, and a deep golden-yellow with faint red stripes.

VICTORY—(The newest red.) A brilliant scarlet; one of the largest-flowering varieties we have listed; the flaming scarlet color makes it very attractive and distinct among the other varieties.

QUEEN LOUISE—Flower pure white, fragrant, large—three inches and over; center well filled, rounding the flower to a most pleasing form; the color is very pure, stem exceptionally long. RED SPORT—One of the showiest varieties of Carnations we have ever grown. Color a flaming scarlet; growth strong; hardy; broad foliage, and makes a well-formed plant.

HARDY PINKS—(See inside of back of cover.)

AFTERGLOW-One of the finest novelties of the year; an improvement over the \$30,000 Carnation, Thomas Lawson. fine growth, firm texture and a brilliant color of beautiful deep

pink PROSPERITY—Color a fine white streaked with scarlet, one of the finest variegated Carnations introduced.

## OUR WINTER CARNATION COLLECTION

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Ten Carnations of Best Varieties for \$1.25

We will send, postpaid, 10 fine winter-flowering Carnations (our selection of varieties) for \$1.25. These will all be choice varieties, and ones that will give good flowers this fall and winter. Nothing will equal the Carnation for a winter house plant.

McGregor's Six Best Winter Flowering Fuchsias

Price, 15 cents each, or the Six for 50 cents, postpaid.

BLACK PRINCE—This is without question, the very finest Fuchsia grown for the amateur to cultivate. Blossoms of a beautiful waxy-carmine or pink color. Certainly a plant of easy culture. Price, 15 cents each; \$1.25 per doz. DOUBLE WHITE FUCHSIA ROSAINS PATRI—A variety unsurpassed among all the Fuchsias with white corolla. In fact, nearly perfection as to free growing and habit; strong and bushy, beginning to bloom quite early in the spring and continuing very late. Tube and sepals are brilliant, deep scarlet, thick and leathery in texture; corolla is very large, double and pure white. Price, 10 cents each; 95 cents per dozen.

THE GREAT WHITE PHENOMENAL FUCHSIA—The same in every particular except the color of the flower, which is a pure white with one vein of crimson in each petal. The flower is large and very double. It is a free bloomer and an exceptionally easy variety to grow. Price, 15 cents each; \$1.25 per dozen.

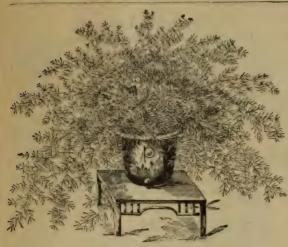
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PHENOMENAL FUCHSIA—The grandest of them all. Phenomenal is the largest-flowered Fuchsia in cultivation. The plant is a tall grower, branching like a tree. The flowers are of enormous size, sepals bright scarlet, with rich violet-purple corollas, very double. Price, 15 cents each; \$1.25 per dozen. ELM CITY—A very pretty variety and one that is always in demand. Although not a new variety, yet it is one of the best. Sepals a rich crimson; corolla deep purple and very double; free flowering and easy to grow. Price, 10 cents each; 95 cents per dozen.

MONSTROSA—The short tube and sepals are a bright, rich, reddish-crimson color; corolla extra large, full and double; flower of the largest size; is of robust, upright growth, not coarse, but compact and very symmetrical. It has every qualification to recommend it—size, freedom of bloom and constitution. Price, 15 cents each; \$1.25 per dozen. 15 cents each; \$1.25 per dozen.

SPECIAL OFFER No. 156—We will send Twelve Fine Winter Flowering Fuchsias, all different, for \$1.00, postpaid. These Fuchsias will make a fine display this winter; try them in your window-box.





Asparagus Sprengeri

#### ASPARAGUS SPRENGERI

Used in decorations, as, for example, in the decoration of mantels, nothing can equal it. It is also a handsome thing for ferneries and hanging baskets. Price, 10 cents each; three for 25 cents.

#### CAREX JAPONICA VARIEGATA

An ornamental Japanese grass, which is extremely useful as a house plant. The blades with a green center and white edge make it a very effective plant for vases and hanging baskets. Price, 15 cents each.

#### ARAUCARIA EXCELSA

#### Norfolk Island Pine

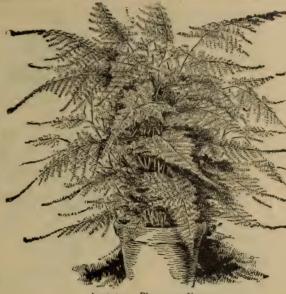
As a decorative plant for the house this is one of the handsomest and most serviceable. It has deep green, feathery folinge, arranged in whorls, rising one above the other at regular distances. It is easily grown in the house and is highly ornamental. Price, nice plants, 12 to 15 inches high, three tiers, 85 cents; large plants, by express, only \$1.50.



Oxalis Ortgiesi

#### **OXALIS ORTGIESI**

It grows twelve to eighteen inches in height, branching freely and loaded at all times with clusters of bright, golden, starshaped flowers, which do not close at night, like other Oxalis. Beautiful as the flowers are, it is still a splendid plant without them, on account of its highly ornamental foliage, Price, 10 cents each; large size, 25 cents, 00stpaid.



Asparagus Plumosus Nanus

#### ASPARAGUS PLUMOSUS NANUS

One of the handsomest of our foliage plants. The leaves are a bright green, gracefully arched, and as finely woven as the finest silken mesh, surpassing Maiden Hair Fern in grace, fineses of texture and richness of color. Price, nice plants, 15 cents each, two for 25 cents; large plants, 25 cents each.

## CISSUS DISCOLOR

#### (Trailing Begonia)

A climber with very beautiful foliage, deep velvety-green, mottled with white on the upper surface; under side of a deep reddishpurple. For trailing over the side of a window box or grown on a trellis, it is one of the most odd and attractive plants. Price, 15 cents each.

#### ASPIDISTRA LURIDA VARIEGATA

A beautiful plant with large lance-shaped leaves, finely variegated with clear cream-colored stripes. An elegant window or conservatory plant of the easiest culture. Price, 60 cents each.



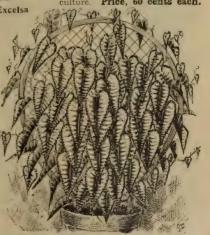
Araucaria Excelsa

#### ABYSSINIAN BANANA

Musa Ensente—The noblest of all the foliage plants and the grandest of all the Bananas. The plants grow luxuriantly, eight to ten feet, making it an exceptionally fine plant for the center of Canna beds, or in fact any place on the lawn. Price, strong plants, 50 cents and 75 cents each.

#### LINUM TRIGYNUM

A winter-blooming plant of great beauty, producing in the greatest profusion very large and showy blooms of a bright yellow color. The plant is a complete mass of bloom for a long time during winter, and is one of the most beautiful winter bloomers it is possible to have. Price, 10 cents each.



Cissus Discolor



#### DRACENA INDIVISA

The Charming Decorative Plant

One of the most popular plants for house decorations. As a single specimen plant for a jardiniere in a hall or drawing room it has no equal. The leaves are of several shades of green, with delicate stripings of yellow and red. Price, 15 cents each.

#### DOUBLE FLOWERING MARGUERITE "QUEEN ALEXANDRA"

The New Anemone-Flowered Marguerite, or Paris Daisy

The flowers are from two and one-half to three inches in diameter and of a pure white color, the greater percentage of these coming full double, not unlike an Anemone-flowered Japanese Chrysanthemum. Price, 15 cents each.

#### DAISY PARIS MARGUERITE

Price, 10 cents each, or the three for 25 cents.

- D. White—A ray of white petals around a yellow disc; blooms winter and summer; fine for bedding or pot culture.
- D. Yellow-Rather dwarf plant; bright golden-yellow flower, disc and center being the same shade.
- D. Blue—(Agathea Celestes.) The flowers are Daisy-shaped of a delicate light blue, with a yellow disc; it blooms in great profusion.

#### CYCLAMEN, OR PERSIAN VIOLET

(New Improved) Red, White and Pink.

For description and price see page 13.

## CROWN OF THORNS

(Euphorbia Splendens)

A curious plant, with thick, fleshy, twining stems, which are covered with stout, sharp spines nearly an inch long; flowers coral-pink. **Price, 15 cents** 

#### **EUPHORBIA**

(Jacquiniflora)

An old favorite winter-flowering plant, producing its long, graceful sprays of bright orange-scarlet flowers during the dullest winter months, and which last in perfection a long time. **Price**, 15 cents each.

#### FICUS OR RUBBER PLANT

Again this year we offer a fine lot of Rubber Plants. They are now in four and five inch pots, and all from top cutting, and well leaved from pot up. Price, nice strong plants, 50 cents each; Ficus Belgica or Rubber large plants, 75 cents each, by express only.



#### GENISTA CANARIENSIS

(Fountain of Gold)

The drooping branches are covered with delicate age-green foliage, and every twig tipped with a long raceme of exquisite pea-shaped blossoms of a pure canary color, almost hiding the foliage, and suggesting the name, "Fountain of Gold." Price, 15 cents each; two for 25 cents.

#### LITTLE GEM FEVERFEW

This variety is very dwarf, attaining a height of from twelve to eighteen inches. The flowers are larger, of more perfect form and of the purest white. Price, 10 cents each; three for 25 cents.

#### BOUGAINVILLEA SANDERIANA

This beautiful free-flowering variety has become very popular, especially as a plant for Easter decorations. It is of strong and rapid growth, and the brilliant rosy-crimson blossoms are produced from early in March until midsummer. Price, 15 cents each.

#### COLEUS

#### The Beautiful Winter Foliage Plant

Coleus will give more pleasure at less cost than any other plant. The varied tints of crimson, gold-bronze and green and richly blotched, veined or margined colorings, produce a brilliancy unequaled. Price: Any one of the following varieties, 5 cents each, six for 25 cents; twenty-five of any variety for \$1.00, or twenty-five distinct varieties, all different, our sclection, for 90 cents.

Sensation—Large-leaved variety; color crimson-maroon, with center light red.

Golden Beauty-Dwarf yellow, large leaf.

Duneira-Color various shades of crimson, leaves very large

**Perfection**—Large-leaved variety; color bright crimson, bordered with golden-yellow.

Mrs. John Boehner—Large pointed leaf, rich velvet maroon center bordered with golden-yellow band.

Queen of the West-Deep green center, streaked with maroon; a very distinct variety.



Coleus Perfection

Camellia Japonica

This beautiful flower can be grown with success in the North as well as the South. The waxy-like blooms come in white, blush, pink, red and variegated shades. They are quite hardy in the Southern States. Price, 75 cents each; large, bushy plants (by express only), \$1.25 each.

CAMELLIA JAPONICA

#### **OLEANDERS**

These old-fashioned shrubs are becoming immensely popular again. No plant makes more handsome specimens in tubs for

the veranda or yard. Can be wintered in the cellar. Price, 15 cents each, two for 25 cents, except where noted, or the set of four for 50 cents.

Oleander Rosea-Has double pink flowers.

Lilian Henderson—Has double white flowers of the largest size; fragrant like the old double pink. Lutea-Strong grower; flower double, color beautiful golden-

Oleander Variegata—A very striking novelty, with variegated foliage, white and green, mostly white. Price, 20c each.

### NEW AND LARGE FLOWERING HYDRANGEAS



Flowering Hydrangea Monstrosa

These are exceedingly showy and effective, particularly when grown as large specimens in tubs for the decoration of lawns in the summer time, for which purpose they are admirably adapted. They are exceedingly ornamental, producing splendid effects, the plants being covered with a solid mass of their large, showy heads of bloom, which remain beautiful for months. They can be wintered in any cool cellar with little or no trouble and the plants increase in hearts for were less than the plant increase in hearts for were less than the plant increase in hearts for were less than the plant increase in hearts for were less than the plant increase in hearts for were less than the plant increase in hearts for were less than the plant increase in hearts for were less than the plant increase in hearts for were less than the plant in the

## HIBISCU

One of the finest house and garden plants in cultivation. Foliage is a deep green, glossy and active. Flowers large and peony-shaped; not only a good summer plant, but will do well in the

The following varieties 10 cents each, or three for 25 cents; large two-year-old plants, 12 to 14 inches high, 25 cents each.

PEACHBLOW-The newest and best. Double pink, with very four or five inches in diameter. large

AURIANTICA—Large, double, orange colored flowers.

GRANDIFLORA—Rich, glossy foliage, scarlet-crimson flowers. MINIATUS SEMI-PLENA-Large, semi-double, bright ver-

VEBSICOLOR—A variety combining in its flowers all colors of the whole family, being handsomely striped crimson, buff, rose and white.



Hibiscus

## FRAGRANT JASMINES

MAID OF ORLEANS—Double flowers of chaste and waxy-hite appearance. Price, fine plants, 10 cents each; strong plants, 30 cents each. BEVOLUTUM—A yellow-flowered Jasmine, nearly hardy and exquisitely fragrant. Price, 10 cents each; fine, strong plants, 25 cents each.

GRANDIFLORUM—(Catalonian Jasmine.) The flowers are pure white, star-shaped and of exquisite fragrance. Price, 10 cents each; strong plants, 25 cents each.

JASMINE GRACILLIMUM—Pure white, fragrant flowers. Price, 10 cents each; fine, strong plants, 25 cents each.

MALAYAN JASMINE, RHYNCOSPERMUM JASMINOIDES—Pure white flowers. Known in the South as the Confederate Jasmine. Price, 15 cents each; fine, strong plants, 20 cts. each.

SAMBAC—(Arabian Jasmine.) Resembles the Grand Duke. Flowers white, very fragrant. Price, 15 cents each; larger size, 25 cents each.

GRAND DUKE—This Jasmine is very easily grown; cream-white flowers having a delicious perfume. Price, 15 cents each; strong plants, 35 and 50 cents each.



Dwarf Orange

## NEW OTAHEITE DWARF ORANGE

A grand pot plant, and one of great beauty and novelty. It is a dwarf Orange, which grows, blooms and fruits freely in pots. The fruit is about half the size of ordinary oranges. It blooms most freely during winter, though it is likely to bloom at any time and all times of the year. Price, 10 cents each, large size, 25 cents and 50 cents each.

## LEMON

PONDEROSA OR AMERICAN WONDER

producing wonderfully large lemons A new Lemon, producing wonderfully large lemons. Some have been taken from the tree weighing over four pounds. The flowers are very fragrant and pretty. In addition to its fruit bearing qualities it makes a very handsome plant for house culture. Price, 15 cents each; large two-year-old plants, 35 cents, 50 cents and \$1.00 each.

### SWEET-SCENTED GARDEN HELIOTROPES

Price, 10 cents each; three for 25 cents, your selection CZARINA-A beautiful new dark Heliotrope of exceptional

FLORENCE NIGHTINGALE-Flowers bright lavender;

MADAME DE BLONAY-Fine, large, strong foliage; pure

MRS. DAVID WOOD-Large trusses of violet flowers of

ALBERT DELEAUX—Foliage is a bright golden-yellow, marked slightly with a delicate green.

MADAME BRUANT—A rich purple with large white eyes.
QUEEN OF VIOLETS—Its color is of the deepest violetpurple, with large, almost pure white center.
NEW GIANT-FLOWERED—(Picciola.) A strong, robust grow
er, instead of being scraggy and sprawling it grows compact and
bushy. The flowers are very large, and of a dark Heliotrope color.



Ponderosa Lemon



## McGregor's Newest Star Primrose

PRIMULA STELLATA (Star Primulas)—Greatly improved strain of these new and very free blooming Primulas. For cut bloom they are unequaled and for pot culture much more robust in habit and produce many more flowers than the Primula Sinensis Fimbriata varieties. The flowers of this improved strain are larger and petals more solid than in the sider strains.

older strains.

WHITE STAR IMPROVED—Very pure white, strong grower, extra free bloomer, with dark foliage and stems.

BLUE STAR—A delicate porcelain-blue, with pale green foliage, large flower, very showy and distinct and very free.

BED STAR—A charming deep salmon-rose; fine pyramidal habit; very free-flowering, with dark foliage.

Price, 15 cents each, or the Three Star Primroses for 35 cents.

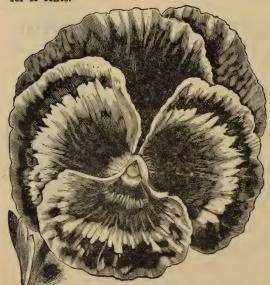
cents.

## Five Best Standard Varieties

PRIMROSE ALBA-Flowers pure white, the foliage green. PRIMROSE RUBRA-Purplish-red, white eye; fine strong

P. KERMESINA SPLENDENS-Bright carmine-pink, yellow

P. COCCINEA—Bright red, large flowers, beautifully fringed. P. STRIATA—Flowers white, striped and blotched purple-red. Price, any variety, nice plants, 10 cents each, the five for 40 cents.



McGregor's Mammoth Flowering Butterfly Pansies

## Chinese Primrose

(Primula Sinensis)

Chinese Primroses are well known as among the very finest flowers for house culture and winter bloom, and if bedded out in the summer in a cool, shady place will bloom finely and be in best condition by fall for taking to the window garden or conservatory, where they will bloom all winter and spring. They are strong feeders, and require good large pots and rich earth, but not too much heat. An upstairs window suits them nicely, and with very little attention they will bloom nearly every day in the year.

#### McGregor's Two Novelties

PRIMULA ORANGE KING—(New). A new departure in color never before seen in P. Sinensis. The buds are a beautiful rich orange, and when fully expanded the petals are orange-salmon shaded with terra cotta; strong, robust grower and very free flowering. Price, 25 cents each.

PRIMULA HIS MAJESTY—(New.) Large-flowered art shade crimson, beautifully fringed; robust grower, red stems, and a very free-flowering variety. Price, 25 cents each.

25 cents each.

SPECIAL OFFER—We will send you, post-paid, the above two Novelties for 40 cents.

#### Four New Primroses (English Introduction

Price, 15 cents each, the Four for 50 cents.

CRIMSON KING-(Sutton's)-The deepest and richest crim-

CHINSON KING—(Sutton's)—The deepest and richest crimson-scarlet color in Primulas; very striking.

CHISWICK RED—Rich, deep rose; fine flower.

SUTTON'S DUCHESS—Pure white, with rosy carmine zone and yellow eye; very striking and distinct.

DUCHESS RED—Rich fiery red with deeper crimson zone.



## Beautiful Ever-Blooming Primroses

(Primula Obconica)

P. OBCONICA GRANDIFLORA—Beautiful primrose, with long, stiff stems and a rich dark green foliage; flowers pure

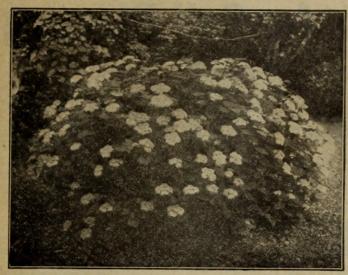
P. OBCONICA CARMINEA—Identical with Grandiflora; col-

OBCONICA ARENDSII-Color beautiful lavender.

Price, nice plants of any variety, 15 cents each, any two for 25 cents, \$1.25 per dozen, postpaid. Large plants, any variety, 25 cents each, any two for 40 cents, \$2.00 per dozen.

#### McGregor's Mammoth Flowering Butterfly Pansies

There is no flower more beloved, admired and even adored than the Pansy; no flower border, be it ever so gay and gorgeous, is so interesting. The combination of colors in the same flowers is exquisite and wonderful, and yet so delicate that no description can convey an adequate idea of their beauty, embracing so many varietes. Price, 30 cents per dozen, \$2.00 per 100, postpaid; \$1.75 per 100, by express.



Hydrangea Arborescens Grandiflora Alba

#### Our Latest Novelty

#### HYDRANGEA (Arborescens Grandiflora Alba)

This beautiful hardy American Shrub is the finest addition to this class of plants found in many years. The blooms are very large, of pure snow-white color, resembling a little the hardy shrub so well known, the Snowball, in color and makeup, only they are much larger in size and much more striking. One only they are much larger in size and much more striking. One of its most valuable features is its coming into bloom just after the passing of all the early spring shrubs, while its long season of bloom, from early June through August, renders it a valuable plant not only to the florist, but to the owner of every garden. It is perfectly hardy, standing twenty degrees below zero. Price, nice young plants, strong and healthy, 8 to 10 inches high, 15 cents each; strong, bushy plants, 15 to 18 inches high, 50 cents each, three for \$1.25; large field-grown plants, 18 to 24 inches high, 75 cents each, three for \$1.75.

#### HYDRANGEA (Hydrangea Paniculata Grandifiora)

This is one of the most hardy shrubs in cultivation. The flowers are white, borne in immense pyramidal panicles nearly a foot in length. Nice, bushy plants, 15 to 18 inches high, 35 cents each; large three-year-old field plants, 75 cents each (by express only).

#### PURFLE FRINGE (Smoke Bush)

A beautiful, distinct, large shrub, much admired for its long, feathery flower stalks, which give the tree the appearance of being covered with a cloud of smoke. A fine shrub, either planted singly or among other shrubs, growing to a height of eight to ten feet. Price, 15 cents each, two for 25 cents.

#### CALYCANTHUS FLORIDUS (The Sweet-Scented Shrub)

An old favorite and well-known shrub for its delightfully strawberry-scented flowers. The flowers when fully open are of a mahogany-brown color. Price, 20 cents each.

## HARDY SHRUBS

#### SNOWBALL

VIBURNUM OPULUS STERILE-(Snowball, or Guelder Rose.) A grand hardy shrub, with handsome showy flowers producing large globular clusters. All of the flowers appear in numerous compact balls in spring. Price, 20 cents each; large three-year-old plants, 50 cents each (by express only).

#### ALTHEA

#### (Rose of Sharon)

A strong, erect-growing shrub of the easiest culture, and unsurpassed by anything in the hardy shrub line for freedom of bloom or range color. Price, 15 cents each, two for 25 cents.

- A. ALBA PLENA-A fine double white with
- A. GRANDIFLORA SUPERBA-Double white.
- A. RUBRA PLENA-Double rose; very pretty. A. FOLIA VARIEGATA—Leaves variegated. green and white.
- TOTUS ALBUS-Fine single pure white; very large
- A. CELESTIS-Light pale-violet, single; one of
- Price, 15 cents each, any four for 50 Cents

#### BERBERIS THUNBERGII

A very pretty shrub from Japan. Of dwarf, graceful habit; foliage small, changing to beautiful bright red early in fall; very showy. Price, 15 cents each.

#### BERBERIS PURPUREA (Purple Barberry)

The Barberry is a very pretty shrub, growing to a height of five to six feet. This variety has dark purple foliage, growth compact, with long, slender and drooping branches; golden-yellow flowers and bright crimson berries. Price, 15 cents each, large three-year-old plants, 50 cents each (by express only).

#### CALIFORNIA PRIVET

The most popular ornamental hedge plant. Its foliage is a rich dark green, nearly evergreen, remaining on the plant until midwinter. Price, 10 cents each, \$1.00 per dozen, \$6.00

#### DESMODIUM PENDULIFLORUM

Stems clustered, gracefully arching, two to four feet tall, literally loaded in early autumn with drooping racemes of rose-purple flowers; leaves rich green, compound, consisting of three elliptic leaflets. Price, 25 cents each, three for 60 cents.

#### LILAC (Syringa)

WHITE LILAC—White flowers. Price, 15 cents each. PURPLE LILAC—Rosy-lavender. Price, 15 cents each. The two varieties for 25 cents; large three-year-old plants, 2½ to 3 feet, 50 cents each (by express only).

## THE HARDY TREE FERN

(Rhus Glubra Laciniata—Cut-Leaved Sumach)
A beautiful tree of a low, shrubby growth, making a superb large-foliage shrub. Its leaves are like beautiful Fern fronds; color very dark green, while the stems are dark ebony-red. Price, large field plants, 40 cents each.

#### SPECIAL OFFER OF EIGHT SUCCESSIVE FLOWERING SHRUBS. COLLECTION No. 275.

We will send to you, postpaid, Eight Hardy Shrubs (our selection of variety), all fine, strong healthy plants, for only \$1.00. These Eight Shrubs will give a succession of flowers from April until frost.

#### BEAUTIFUL HARDY ORNAMENTAL VINES

#### **NEW SWEET-SCENTED JAPAN CLEMATIS**

#### Virgin's Bower (Clematis Paniculata)

This elegant new Clematis is one of the finest climbing vines you can get. Plowers are rich creamy-white, and borne in beautiful clusters, completely covering the vine with beautiful starshaped blossoms; exceedingly fragrant; the sweetest of all Clematis and one of the hardiest and easiest to grow. Price, good strong plants, 15 cents each, two for 25 cents, \$1.50 per dozen; two-year-old plants, 25 cents each, three for 70 cents, \$2.50 per dozen, postpaid; extra size, three-year-old vines, 35 cents each, three for \$1.00, \$3.50 per dozen, by express. hy express.

#### CHINESE HARDY MATRIMONY VINE

A strong and vigorous hardy climbing plant, and in a short time after planting is covered with bright purple flowers, which are succeeded by brilliant bright scarlet berries nearly an inch long, and every branch being covered with them. The berries

ripen in autumn and remain on the vine late into the winter. Price, 15 cents each, \$1.50 per dozen; large field plants, 50 cents each (by express only).

#### IVY-HARDY ENGLISH

The hardy evergreen vine that remains so all the year, making it one of the most valuable of all hardy vines. It is used in covering walls, and has become popular for covering raves, especially if in the shade where grass will not succeed. **Price**, 10 cents each, \$1.00 per dozen.

#### CINNAMON VINE

Perfectly hardy, the stem dying down every autumn, but growing again so rapidly in the spring as to completely cover any trellis or arbor very early in the season. It is produced from tubers that will make from ten to twelve feet of vine, having beautiful heart-shaped leaves, bright green, peculiar foliage, and clusters of delicate white flowers, sending forth a delicate cinnamon odor. Price, 10 cents each, three for 25 cents, \$1.00 per dozen.

# Choice Fruit for Fall Planting

FRUITS OR TREES BY EXPRESS OR FREIGHT

The following nursery stock is offered by Mail or Express as noted. The varieties offered are tested standard kinds and for reason of lack of space we do not attempt any descriptions. As our nursery department is separate and distinct from our greenhouses, it is necessary that all nursery stock be shipped direct from the nursery, and all orders, therefore, for trees and fruits of express size will be sent separate from bulbs or greenhouse plants and be under separate transportation charges. There is no time better than fall for planting and if a little extra soil is placed around the base of the plant, pressing in shape of a cone, so as to protect the roots from winter rains and sudden and severe changes in freezing and thawing, all planting should do well. This also protects them from being moved about by heavy winds. As mentioned above, remember that fruits and trees under this heading, which will be of as large size as offered by any nurseryman, are sent by express of freight separate from any other part of your order and under separate transportation charges. separate transportation charges.

FRUITS OR TREES BY MAIL POSTPAID

Under this heading we offer you grafted and true-to-name fruits and trees of a smaller size than referred to above, but they will be found much cheaper and all transportation charges will be paid. It is a slower way than buying larger trees, but is the cheapest way if you are willing to wait an extra year or two. Our steadily increasing trade for mailing size has given us reason to believe that the smaller stock has been found very satisfactory. We think plants under this heading will especially appeal to those in distant states and where it is not convenient to call for express or freight shipments.

#### NO PREMIUMS ON FRUITS OR FRUIT TREES

Prices on nursery stock are placed very low and we cannot allow premiums to be selected on orders for items listed on this page.

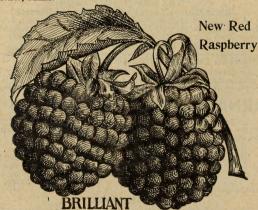
CHOICE APPLE TREES—Price, large trees, five to six feet, by express or freight, 35 cents each; \$3.50 per dozen; \$25.00 per 100. Small malling size trees, postpaid, 25 cents each; \$2.50 per dozen. Varieties—Early Harvest, Red Astrachan, Sweet Bough, Early Strawberry and Yellow Transparent, Duchess of Oldenberg, Fall Pippin, Fameuse, Maiden Blush, Wealthy, Baldwin, Ben Davis, Fallawater, Greenville, Golden Sweet, Rambo, Grimes' Golden, Jonathan, Mann, Northern Spy, R. I. Greening, Belleflower, York Imperial, Rome Beauty, CRAB APPLES—Hyslop, Whitney, Transcendent. Price, 35 cents each; \$3.00 per dozen.

CHERRIES—Price, fine trees, five to six feet, 50 cents each; \$5.00 per dozen, postpaid. Varieties—Gov. Wood, Yellow Spanish, Dyehouse, Early Richmond, Montmorency, English, Morello, Otheim.

PLUMS, Fine Trees—Price, 35 cents each; \$3.00 per dozen; mailing size, 30 cents each; \$3.50 per dozen, postpaid. Japan varieties—Abundance, Burbank, Red June, Hale, European varieties—Spaulding, Bradshaw, Lombard, German Prune, Moore's Arctic, Niagara, Shipper's Price, Reine Claude, Yellow Egg.

QUINCE TREES—Orange, Champion, Meeche's Augres.

Yellow Egg.
QUINGE TREES—Orange, Champion, Meeche's Augres.
Price, 50 cents each; \$5.00 per dozen.
PEACH TREES—Price, 20 cents each; \$2.00 per dozen;
\$15.00 per 100; mailing size, 15 cents each; \$1.50 per dozen,
postpald. Varieties—Early Crawford, Late Crawford, Wagner,
Alexander, Elberta, M. Rose Stump, Smock, Globe Crosby, Kalamazoo, Champion.
PEAR TREES—Large size trees, 50 cents each; \$5.00 per
dozen; mailing size, 35 cents each; \$3.50 per dozen, postpaid. Varieties—Wilder, Early, Bartlett, Clapp's Favorite,
Lawson, Le Counte, Seneca, Tyson, Duchess Howell, Lincoln,
Kieffer, Idaho. Lawson, Le C Kieffer, Idaho.



RASPBERRIES—New Varieties—Price, 10 cents each; \$1.00 per dozen, postpaid; \$3.00 per 100 by express. Loudon (Red), King (Red), Haymaker (Purple), Cardinal (Purple), Munger (Black), Golden Queen (Yellow). Standard Varieties—Price, 50 cents per dozen, postpaid; \$2.00 per 100 by express. Eureka, Conrath, Gregg, Kansas, Ohio, Palmer, Souhegan, Cuthbert, Miller, Columbian.

Earhart Everbearing—Bears continuously from June 1st until killed by frost in September. Price, 20 cents each; \$2.00 per dozen, postpaid.

Brilliant—New Red Raspberry. It ripens its fruit early and quick. The entire crop is ready for market while price is high. Berries large, beautiful, Brilliant, just as the name implies. Carries its bright, brilliant red to market and looks as fresh as when first picked. A great market variety. Price, 10 cents each; \$1.00 per dozen; \$5.00 per 100; \$30.00 per 1,000.

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Ancient Briton	\$0	50	\$1	50
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Mersereau	1	00	4	00
Ohmer	3	75	3	00
Rathburn	1	00	4	00
Snyder	"	50	1	50
Taylor's Prolific		50	1	50
Wilson's Early	1	50	1	50
Wauchusetts	1000	75	3	00
Iceberg (white), 20 cents each		00	10	00

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STRAWBERRIES—New Varieties—Price, 50 cents per
dozen, postpaid; \$1.00 per 100 by express; \$8.00 per 1,000.

Bismark, Climax, Marie, Pineapple, Corsican, Uncle Jim. Standard Strawberries—Price, 25 cents per dozen, postpaid; 75
cents per 100 by express; \$6.00 per 1,000. If by mail, add
30 cents extra per 100 for postage. Haverland, Bubach,
Lovett, Warfield, Excelsior, Dunlap, Gandy, Brandywine.

CURRANTS—No Garden Complete Without Them—
Price, 15 cents each, postpaid; \$1.50 per dozen, postpaid.
Varieties—Red Cross, North Star, Victoria, Cherry, White
Grape, Red Dutch, Fay's, Versailles, Lee's Prolific, Pomona,
London Market, Wilder.

Gooseberries—Price, 15 cents each; \$1.50 per dozen.

Gooseberries—Price, 15 cents each; \$1.50 per dozen, postpaid. Varieties—Houghton, Downing, Smith's Imp, Red Jacket, Pearl, Industry, Chautauqua, Columbus.

NOVELTIES-Ornamental as Well as Fruitful.

Japanese Wineberries, 10 cents each; \$1.00 per dozen, postpaid.

Juneberries, 15 cents each; \$1.50 per dozen, postpaid. Loganberries, 20 cents each; \$2.00 per dozen, postpaid. Rocky Mountain Cherry, 15 cents each; \$1.50 per dozen,

Crystal White Blackberry, 20 cents each; \$2.00 per dozen,

postpaid.

GARDEN ROOTS—Horseradish, 25 cents per dozen; \$1.00 per 100, postpaid. Rhubarb—15 cents each; \$1.50 per dozen, postpaid. Sage Plants—10 cents each; \$1.00 per dozen, postpaid. Asparagus—50 cents per dozen; \$1.25 per 100, postpaid.

\$1.00 Grape Collection, Postpaid. SPECIAL GRAPE COLLECTION 16 Choice Vines, Postpaid, Only \$1.00.

2 Champion, 2 Wyoming Red, 2 Worden, 2 Moore's Early, Niagara, 2 Brighton, 2 Concord, 2 Moore's Diamond. Single Niagara, Vines, postpaid, 15 cents each.

We can send 6 of above collections postpaid for \$5.00. great bargain. Best collection for the money ever

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CALIFORNIA PRIVET—For screens, fences or ornamental planting nothing better or nicer can be planted; either fall or spring. Price, 15 cents each; \$5.00 per 100; \$40.00 per 1,000.

#### Megregor'S HARDY PERENNIALS FOR THE BEAUTIFUL GARDEN OR THE OLD FASHIONED GARDEN FLOWERS

Phlox Coquelicot.

### Hemerocallis Flava

(Lemon Lily)

Few plants present a more striking appearance on the lawn or border than a large clump of this clear, lemon-colored Lily, which is produced in the greatest profusion, lasting in flower a long time. Price, 20 cents each, \$2.00 per dozen.

#### Dielytra Spectabilis

(Bleeding Heart)

These pretty spring bloomers, with their graceful, drooping sprays of heart-shaped pink and white flowers, are very ornamental, and bloom freely early in the season. Price, 20 cents each, \$2.00 per dozen. \$2.00 per dozen.

#### Shasta Daisy

The flowers are pure white, with gold center petals very long and center soft and velvety. It is a very pretty hardy plant, and one of the novelties that has come to stay. Price, 15 cents each; \$1.50 per dozen.

Rudbeckia Laciniata (Double Golden Sunflower, fl. pl., Golden Glow)

hardy perennial plant growing eight feet high; exquisite double blossoms of the brightest golden color and as large as Cactus Dahlias. Strong plants, which will bloom freely this season, price, 15 cents each, \$1.00 per dozen.

## HARDY PINKS

HER MAJESTY, the New Double White Pink--Strong, com ouble, color pure white. Price, 10 cents each, \$1.00 per dozen.

BRUNETTE—Center very dark and velvety, almost black. Price, 10 cents each, \$1.00 per dozen.

ESSEX WITCH—Deep cherry-red, variegated with pink and pale silvery-white; very fine. Price, 10 cents each, \$1.00 per dozen.

ABBOTTSFORD—White, with rich maroon and carmine markings. Price, 10 cents each, \$1.00 per dozen.

HOMER-Rich rosy-red, with dark center. Price, 10 cents each, \$1.00 per dozen.

SOU. DE SALE-Soft rosy-pink, very double. Price, 10 cents each, \$1.00 per dozen.

## HARDY HIBISCUS

(White and Pink)

Price, 10 cents each, any three for 25 cents: three-year-old plants, 25 cents each.

Large white flower with a crimson eye. Beautiful shade of rose-pink.

### McGregor's Improved Hardy Phlox

Price, Strong Field Plants, 15 cents each; \$1.50 per dozen.

The Phlox, like the Peony, is becoming very popular. No perennial is more worthy of culture or is more satisfactory when grown, either as individual plants or grouped in

PRIME MINISTER—Deep carmine center, shading to white at the edges of the petals. PANTHEON—Large, clear deep bright pink with faint halo; a charming variety. NIOBE—The deepest, darkest, richest colored of all Phlox—velvety violet-red with crim-

COQUELICOT-The finest and brightest red of all the Phlox. The color is a bright

orange-scarlet.

INDEPENDENCE—An excellent large-flowering early pure white; none better.

ECLAIREUR—Purplish-crimson, with light halo.

ATHIS—Color salmon-rose, with large carmine eye; very attractive and large.

PROF. SCHLIEMAN—Salmon-rose, with carmine eye.

DUQUESCLIN—Beautiful lavender; large carmine eye.

THE PEARL—Pure white, large individual flowers; heavy trusses, and a variety of easy

culture.

AUGUST REVERE—Pure scarlet, with deep carmine eye.

LOTHAIR—A beautiful variety; color brilliant salmon-rose.

R. P. STRUTHERS—In our estimation the very best Phlox grown today—it has no faults. Color clear cherry-red, suffused with salmon shades; deep red eye; fine large truss. The color is so clear and clean that each individual floret stands out as distinct

MISS LINGARD-A grand free-blooming white.



Hardy Shata Daisy.

## Achillea (The Pearl)

(The Great Cemetery Plant)

Flowers pure white, perfectly double, and produced in large sprays. For cemetery planting it is the most valuable of all flowers. Price, 10 cents each, three for 25 cents, 75 cents per dozen.

#### New Giant Hardy Primrose

(Primula Veris Superba)

In size of flower fully three times as large as any other hardy Primrose. It is perfectly hardy, grows from ten to twelve inches high; color pure golden-yellow. Price, 15 cents each, \$1.50 per dozen.

## Anemones

(Japanese Windflower)

These beautiful Windflowers are perfectly hardy if given protection of two or three inches of leaves during the winter. JAPONICA—Beautiful rosy-red.

HONORINE JOUBERT-The finest

single white.

QUEEN CHARLOTTE-Large semi-double flowers of silvery-

WHIRLWIND-Large semi-double, pure white. Price, 25 cents each.

#### Tritoma Pfitzerii

(Or Red-Hot Poker)

The flower spikes are of gigantic size, frequently four and one-half feet high, with heads of blooms over twelve inches long, of a rich orange-scarlet, shading to salmon-rose on edge. Large field-grown plants, price, 25 cents each, five for \$1.00.

